

# FORECAST

Okanagan, Lillooet, S. Thompson regions: Mostly cloudy and mild today and Wednesday with a few clear periods. Winds southerly 25 today decreasing to light this evening.

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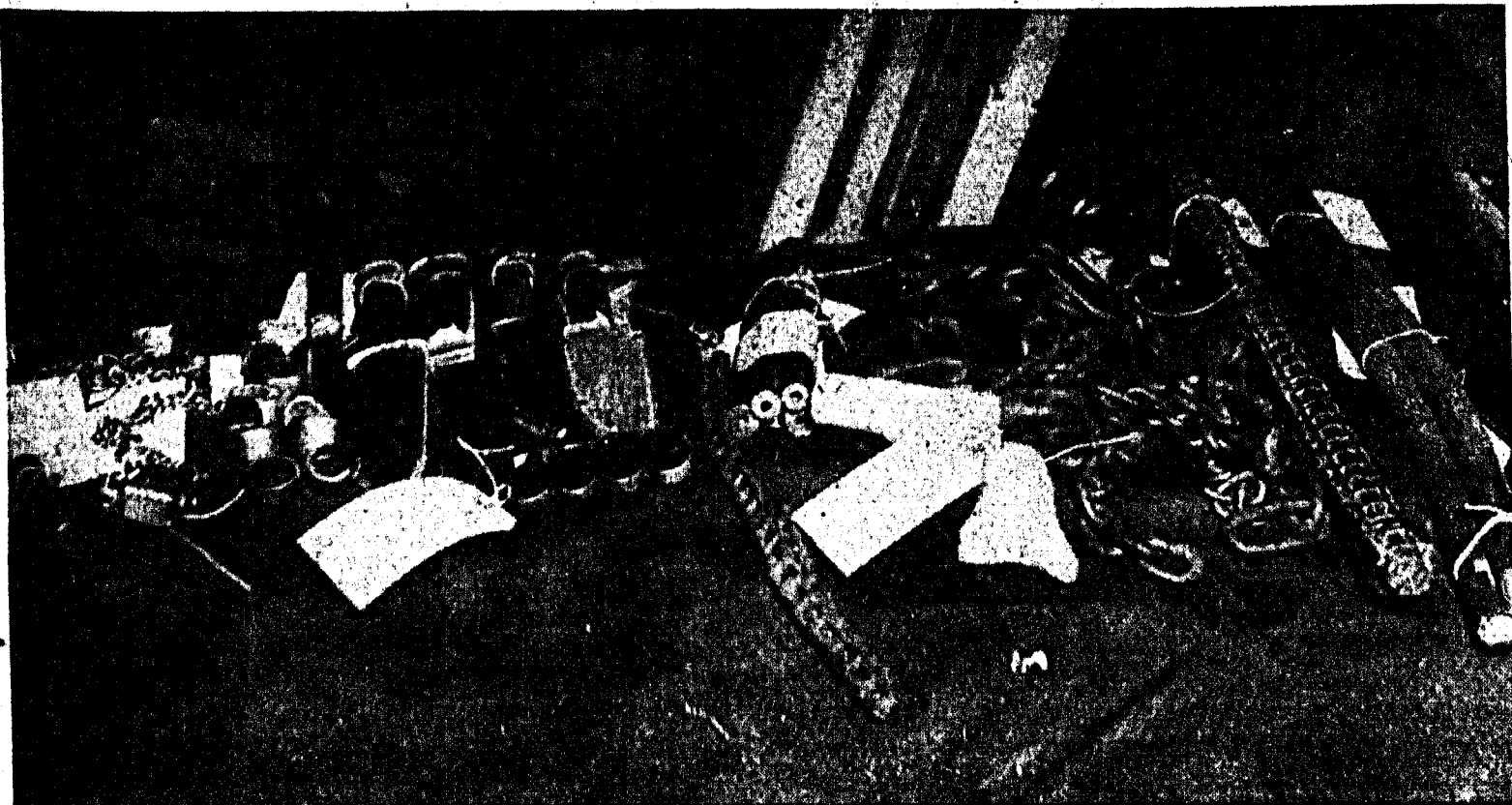
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## HIGH AND LOW

Predicted low and high temperatures Wednesday at Kelowna and Penticton 30 and 38. Kamloops 25 and 34. Lytton 34 and 38. High and low at Kelowna Monday 35 and 27, with 1-5 inch snow.



### WEAPONS FOUND IN JUVENILE HIDEOUT

Special permission was obtained by the Daily Courier to photograph the above array of weapons found in the hideout of a juvenile gang, involved in

the theft of cash and tools from the Laurel packing house, had intended to head for Alberta, over the Big Bend highway, which has been closed for some weeks.

rifle barrels, other chains, including one with a heavy padlock on the end of it, brass knuckles, hunting knives, a homemade pistol and the stock of a rifle.

Also found in the boys' hideout were three 22 calibre rifles, purchased with some of the money stolen from the packing house. (Courier staff photo)

### JUVENILE GANG BROKEN UP

## Offensive Weapons Are Recovered By Police

Details of a juvenile gang of six boys, after the break-in at the Laurel packing house, had intended to head for Alberta, over the Big Bend highway, which has been closed for some weeks.

While the actual court hearing was closed to the public and to the press, Judge of the Juvenile Court, Donald White, has permitted certain information to be given out by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police who solved the breaking and entering at the Laurel Co-Operative Union packing house, which occurred three weeks ago.

Six boys, ranging in age from 12 to 15, appeared in juvenile court charged with theft of \$250 in cash from the packing house as well as a quantity of tools, valued at \$200.

**HIDEOUT FIND**  
A charge of being in possession of offensive weapons also was laid against the boys after an assortment of rifles, knives, brass knuckles, chains and other articles were found in the hideout.

All the tools stolen from the Laurel packing house were recovered, but only a portion of the stolen cash was recoverable, including that paid out by the boys for three 22 calibre rifles they purchased with part of the money from a local store.

All six admitted guilt on the charge.

Two of the older boys were sentenced to an indefinite period in the Brannan Lake school on Vancouver Island and were ordered to make restitution in the sum of \$15 each. This was to help make up the balance of the stolen \$250 that was not recovered.

The other four boys also were ordered to make restitution of \$15 each and were all placed on 18 months probation. Costs of the court also were assessed against the six boys.

While this gang had been in trouble before, this was the first time the boys had appeared in juvenile court.

The offensive weapons also included sawed off rifle barrels, a home-made pistol and a rifle butt. All were exhibits in the court hearing.

It was also disclosed that the

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## Tories Capture Yukon Election

WHITEHORSE, Y.T. (CP)—The area said personal appeal of the candidates had more to do with the outcome than any national issue, including the record of the Conservatives since they unseated the Liberals last June.

The 34-year-old Whitehorse lawyer was elected in a by-election by a narrow margin over incumbent A. B. S. Simmons, 49, who had held the seat for the Liberals since 1949 and whose re-election in the federal general election last June was voided by the courts because of irregularities in the balloting.

Two isolated polls with a possible total of 122 votes were reported at the end of counting Monday night, but the count from 49 of the 51 polls gave Mr. Nielsen a 148-vote margin, 2,339 to 2,191.

There was no possibility of a reversal of Mr. Nielsen's election by a service vote as occurred in the June vote when the overseas service count wiped out a 49-vote margin held by Mr. Nielsen and re-elected Mr. Simmons by a 64-vote majority, 2,422 to 2,358. No service vote is permitted under by-election regulations.

**PC STRENGTH INCREASED**  
The outcome Monday increased the Progressive Conservatives' margin over the Liberals to nine seats.

House standing following the by-election: Progressive Conservatives, 113; Liberals 104, CCF 25, Social Credit 19, Independent 2, Independent-Liberal 1, Liberal-Labor 1. Total 265.

The turnout in what for the Yukon was mild weather—temperatures from five to 25 below zero—was heavy, with more than 85 per cent of the estimated 5,200 eligible voters exercising their franchise.

The two-way race was contested largely on local issues—transportation and communication—and political observers in

They managed to get to Vernon where they took somebody's auto and drove to Revelstoke before they discovered that they could not get through on the highway.

### Cadi Orders Bribe Case For Jan. 10

VANCOUVER (CP)—Magistrate Oscar Orr today ordered the crown to be ready to proceed in the Sommers bribery conspiracy case by Jan. 10.

Prosecutor Stewart McMorran said he could not guarantee to be ready by that time.

Mr. McMorran also said he does not intend to release an RCMP report into allegations of bribery made against Robert Sommers, former forests minister in the B.C. cabinet.

The report by Inspector W. J. Butler is libellous, the prosecutor said.

It cannot be produced on the ground of public policy and its form and nature would make it inadmissible as evidence, Mr. McMorran has returned it to Attorney-General Robert Bonner.

## ALSO IN THE NEWS

### BUCK VISITS MOSCOW

LONDON (Reuters)—Moscow radio reported Monday that a Canadian Communist delegation led by Tim Buck met members of the Soviet Communist party central committee in "a cordial and friendly atmosphere" Saturday. The radio said Buck, head of the Labor Progressive party, had conversations with Mikhail Suslov, secretary of the Soviet party central committee and a member of the ruling party Praesidium.

### RENEW BRITISH CREDIT

WASHINGTON (Reuters)—The International Monetary Fund has renewed for another year, at Britain's request, its stand-by credit to Britain of \$738,500,000 the fund announced Monday. Britain has not yet drawn on the credit, which has been in force since Dec. 22, 1956. It was negotiated as one of several moves to strengthen world confidence in sterling.

### QUAKE RECORDED

WESTON, Mass. (AP)—The Weston Observatory Monday recorded a strong earthquake believed to have been centred 2,700 miles southwest of here, off the west coast of central Mexico.

### SPACE TALK

WASHINGTON (AP)—The U.S. Air Force said Monday its instructions not to talk about air force projects in terms of "space flights" or attempts to "fly to the moon" have been suspended. The instructions were issued July 29, a little more than a month before the first Russian satellite was put into orbit. Air force spokesmen said the memorandum was never intended as more than "guidance."

### FLORIDA FREEZE HIKES

### Canadian Fruit Price

By THE CANADIAN PRESS  
Frost damage to fruit and vegetables in the Florida peninsula during the recent cold snap and the embargo applied there on certain produce are reflecting on the Canadian market.

Wholesalers say prices of vegetables and fruits are moving up in most large cities, in some cases by as much as 35 per cent.

The embargo on Florida-grown citrus fruits was imposed while state commission investigated the frost damage caused last week when temperatures dipped sharply. California, the other main source of produce in the United States, was reported increasing prices now that the Florida competition is virtually out.

In Windsor, Ont., prices on citrus fruit and greens were reported 20- to 50-per-cent higher than last week.

"The market has gone crazy," one wholesaler reported. "In some cases prices have nearly doubled. We expected an increase but not this much."

A Toronto company, however, said the embargo applied only to the citrus fruit. As a result California navel oranges were quoted 50 to 75 cents a case higher, the steepest increase.

Vancouver merchants report no ill-effects from the embargo yet. Due to a mild season, most of the produce has been coming from the northern and mid-Pacific states.

# U.S. LAUNCHES ATLAS ROCKET

## CANADIAN NATO DELEGATES NOT U.S. RUBBER STAMPS

LONDON (CP)—The Manchester Guardian says the opinions of the four Canadian cabinet ministers attending this week's NATO conference in Paris "should command as much respect from the great powers as they undoubtedly will be accorded by the lesser."

A Guardian editorial adds that the Canadians have not come to Paris to give rubber-stamp approval to any American or British proposals. Canada is respected as a country threatening no one but with a mind of her own.

## U.S. May Get Rocket Bases

PARIS (CP)—The leaders of the Western alliance today directed the NATO permanent council to work out a common policy toward Russian proposals for East-West talks, thus leaving the door open for negotiations. They also agreed to take early steps to invite Russia to resume talks about disarmament.

The foreign ministers of the 15-country alliance spent almost three hours discussing relations with Russia and other political problems before the chiefs of government met in a new round of the NATO summit conference.

The compromise formula which the foreign ministers are reported to have worked out involves the exploration of possible settlements with Russia while plans are developed for aiming NATO Europe with nuclear missiles.

Diplomats familiar with the discussions said there was substantial accord on the Russian issue—that every possibility for East-West agreement should be explored fully.

Today's meetings were held in the light of United States proposals Monday to establish a NATO atomic stockpile, provide members of the alliance with intermediate range missiles, give more foreign aid, liberalize trade and share nuclear secrets.

Prime Minister Diefenbaker, speaking near the end of the first day's meeting, urged the NATO powers to continue to demonstrate willingness to negotiate with the Soviet Union.

## N.Y. Subways Strike Ends

NEW YORK (AP)—New York's 228-mile subway system moved toward normal service today as motormen returned to work with promises of help in the state legislature.

The eight-day strike, which snarled the city's complicated transportation system and cost the Transit Authority more than \$2,000,000 in lost fares, ended last night.

More than 1,500 members of the Motormen's Benevolent Association (Ind.) voted to return to work after Mayor Robert F. Wagner, Governor Averell Harriman and state legislative leaders promised "fair treatment."

State Senator MacNeil Mitchell, Manhattan Republican, had promised the strikers he would introduce next month in the state legislature a bill stripping the Transit Authority of control over the designation of bargaining units on the city-owned subway and bus lines.

First witnesses to be heard were Drs. George Athans and Hector Moir who testified to the condition of Donald Pearce when he was admitted to hospital and treatment given him.

E. C. Weddell, Q.C., acting as crown prosecutor, while C. G. Beeston is defence counsel.

## ICB Missile Tests Answer To Soviet

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP)—The U.S. Air Force successfully launched an Atlas intercontinental ballistic missile today.

The air force announced success "on a limited range" and said the Atlas travelled several hundred miles, landing in a pre-selected target area.

The giant weapon, 100 tons of metal and fuel, roared skyward from the missile test centre here at 12:38 p.m. EST (9:38 a.m. PST) after hours of preparation. It disappeared into a cloud layer 2,000 to 3,000 feet above ground within one minute of launching.

**LIMITED TEST**  
The Atlas is designed to deliver a hydrogen warhead to a target 5,000 miles away in a flight time of 30 minutes. To reach maximum range, it would attain an altitude of 600 miles.

Within 20 minutes after the launching the air force here and the defence department in Washington announced that "this was a limited range test of several hundred miles."

The Atlas is the U.S. answer to Russia's claim of superiority in the field of long-range missiles. The Soviets have reported successful launchings of intercontinental ballistic missiles.

The Atlas is powered by three rocket engines delivering 270,000 pounds of thrust.

**VISIBLE BRIEFLY**  
Ground haze and heavy thunderclouds, which rolled in at mid-morning, obscured the view. Moments after leaving the ground the missile, trailing a thick streak of flame, disappeared into the overcast.

The missile was visible for about one minute before it climbed into the thick cloud banks overhead.

At about the time it disappeared, the first roar of its engines could be heard on the distant beaches.

Although the missile could not be seen thereafter, the thunder of its engines could be heard for more than four minutes.

**TWO PREVIOUS FIRINGS**  
There was no way that watchers here could determine whether the firing was entirely successful, but it unquestionably was a much better shot than the two previous Atlas test firings. In both earlier launchings the missiles wobbled and had to be destroyed.

Only a few beach watchers observed the fiery blastoff. The first sign of the firing was a belch of white smoke. Ground haze was so intense that the missile itself could not be seen.

The smoke rose higher and then a dot of flame appeared. The flame rose and the missile came into view.

Then the exhaust became a burning sun boring a hole into the clouds.

## Oil Hunt Stalled By Mild Spell

GRANDE PRAIRIE, Alta. (CP)—The short-wave radio set in the office of Joe Manning, northern supervisor for Triad Oil, brings in nothing but bad news these days as continued mild weather delays the petroleum search in the Peace River block of northwestern Alberta and northeastern British Columbia.

In rapid succession last week, field reports told of bulldozers bogging down in a quagmire 85 miles southwest of here and of the last timbers of a key bridge disappearing downstream in the swollen Wapiti River.

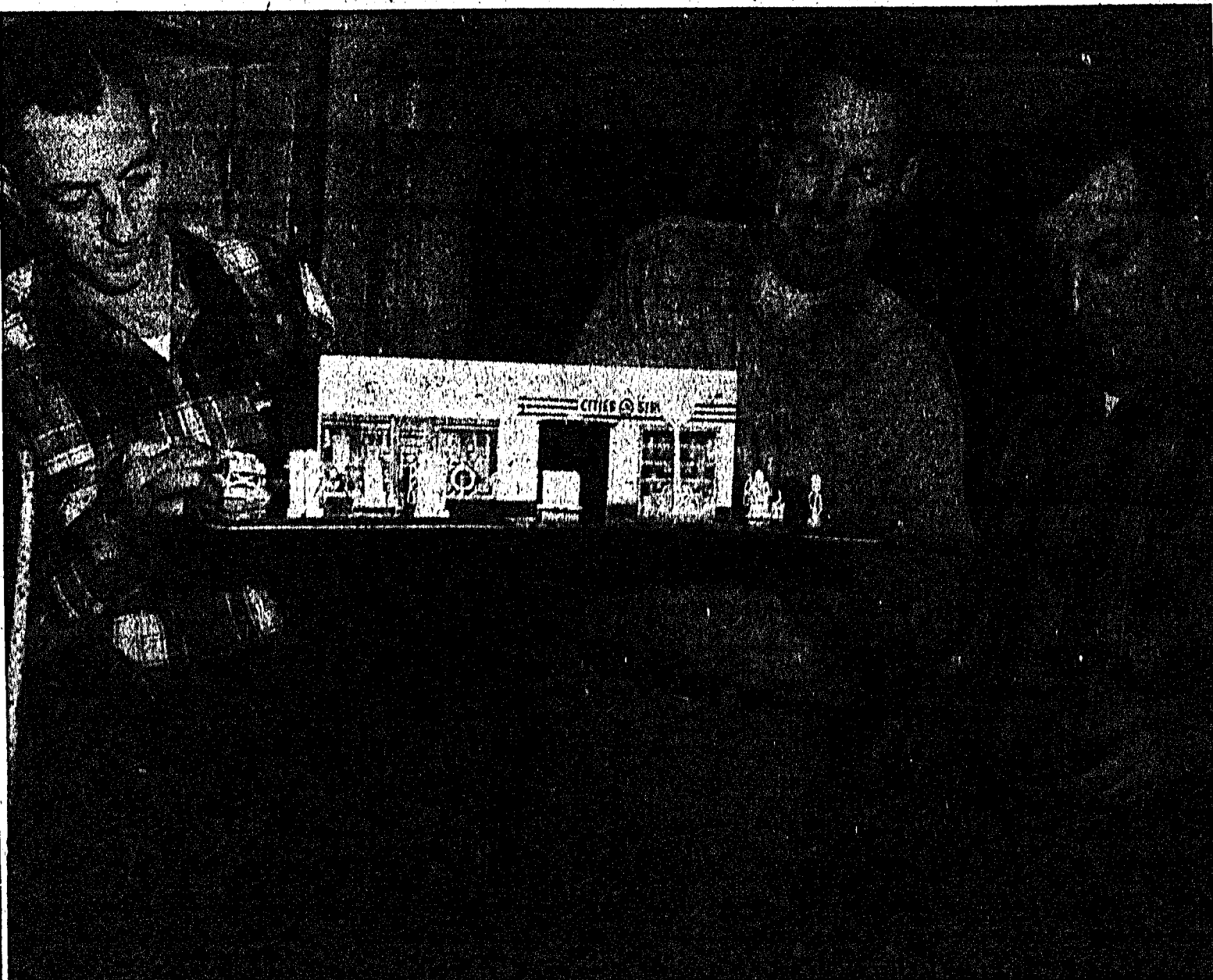
"It's terrible," said Joe. "I've never seen anything like it."

He echoed sentiments expressed by oil and lumber operators throughout the area 300 miles northwest of Edmonton. They are stalled in their annual winter leap into the bushland, where mud and mud abound until freeze-up each year, by a freeze-up which has tantalized but failed to stick.

The bush has been left soggy by 24 to 42 inches of snow early in October, a November that saw only one sub-zero day and an early December snow and rain storm that soaked the district amid 40-degree temperatures.

**BRITANNIA WILL BE KEPT OPEN**  
OTTAWA (CP)—The federal and British Columbia governments together will contribute \$200,000 a month toward keeping the copper mine of Howe Sound Company at Britannia, B. C., open through the winter on a reduced scale, Justice Minister Davie Fulton today informed the Commons.

The federal government will contribute \$16,000 a month and B.C. \$4,000. Number of workers will be reduced to between 350 and 400 from the present 700 but the company will still incur "substantial losses," Mr. Fulton said.



### SANTA'S LITTLE HELPERS

Santa won't disappoint any Kelowna youngster, thanks to his helpers in the volunteer fire brigade, who for five years now have renovated toys to make Christmas merry for needy children. Shown giving a gleaming model service station a last minute inspection are (left to right) firefighters Archie August, Bob Parfitt and Eric Chapman.

### LONG-RANGE PLAN

## Council Approves Purchasing DeMara Property For \$85,000

City Council announced Monday night that the city would purchase the DeMara property at the lake end of Queensway.

First three readings to a bylaw to purchase the land and buildings at \$85,000 were given.

The property, on which the Willow Lodge stands, as well as the DeMara's insurance office and the Ferry Coffee Shop, is the only privately owned piece of lakeshore land between Mill Creek and the Kelowna Yacht Club.

Buildings on the property are considered ideal for housing the proposed museum, the Kelowna Board of Trade and the tourist council, and a large-sized meeting room for civic organizations.

It is proposed also to establish a comfort station on this property.

done by the late Mayor J. J. Laird.

He said that not only was the city faced with providing quarters for the museum, the board of trade, and its two bureaus, but "also related was a long range plan to improve the city's unique waterfront advantages by acquiring" this valuable property.

Mayor Parkinson predicted that with the property, a "continuous promenade could be built from the creek to the power house property, assuring our citizens of access to the lake and beaches in all this area."

"In this connection it is not too far-fetched to feel that in the future, the promenade with lake access, might be continued to Manhattan Beach."

The council, according to the mayor, had several meetings with the trade board, the museum committee and tourist association, and just Monday night with

the Junior Chamber of Commerce, and all bodies had completely endorsed the plan.

The figure of \$85,000 was checked "with local real estate firms and appraisal companies and found to be, without exception, a very fair price," Mayor Parkinson said.

He also disclosed that the final papers were signed just last Tuesday and that immediate approval of the action had been sought from the municipal affairs department at Victoria, and that this approval came forward Friday.

**TWO OPTIONS**  
There were two ways to purchase the property:

1. By the vote of the ratepayers, which on approval would provide a 10-year 5 1/2 per cent debenture issue, the total cost of which, including interest, would have been \$112,555.

2. By bylaw of the council.

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### 6 Shopping Days till Christmas

FROM what countries did the three wise men come?

Answers: 1. Syria (Balthazar), 2. Persia (Melchior), 3. Arabia (Caspar).



## Lakeshore Property Purchase Of Great Value To Kelowna

Last night Kelowna city council took the first steps to bring to a conclusion the long drawn-out negotiations for the purchase of the DeMara lake front property. Three readings of the necessary bylaw were passed.

These negotiations had been underway for several months and it had been the hope of the late Mayor Ladd to bring them to a successful conclusion this year. Council action on Monday night followed the pattern he had laid down.

The purchase of this property is a very fortuitous thing for the city. In the first place it eliminates that last piece of privately-owned property from the mouth of Kelowna Creek to the foot of Doyle Avenue. Its purchase will enable a splendid promenade to be completed for the whole length. The purchase, in addition, brings to the city a building which can be used to very great advantage.

The purchase price is \$85,000, a very reasonable one considering the property and building involved and the price of lakeshore real estate. It is true that some years ago the property could have been purchased at a lesser amount, but then what piece of real estate has not increased in value in the interval, especially lakeshore property. The city, this newspaper believes, has made an excellent deal.

The property is being purchased out of current revenue over the next four years. Here too the conditions are advantageous for the city as the unpaid balance carried no interest. Fifty thousand dollars will be paid this year from surplus and the balance out of revenue during the next four years.

Under the new municipal act city council has power to do this whereas under the old act it would have been necessary to pass a money bylaw and float bonds. Had this procedure been adopted, over a twenty-year period, it would have cost the ratepayers something over \$112,000. Certainly the pro-

cedure adopted financially is the more advantageous to the city.

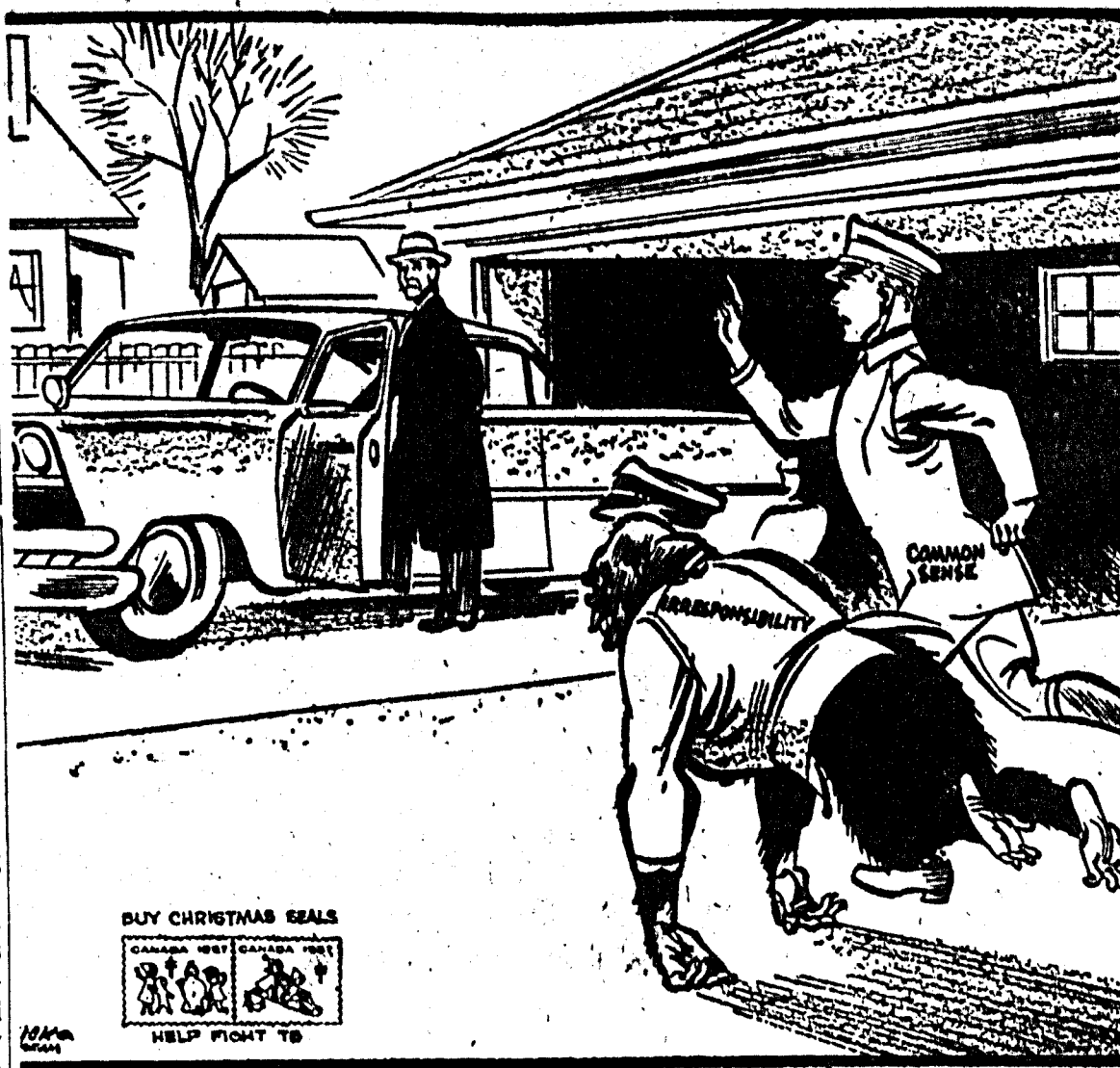
Approval of the required bylaw, was only received from Victoria on Friday last. Pending this approval council had been unable to take any action. Once this approval was obtained, steps were taken to complete the transaction.

Acquisition of this property will do several things, other than completing our waterfront promenade, which in itself is no mean item. In the first place city council during the past year has been obligated to spend approximately \$35,000 on a museum building. This expenditure was approved by ratepayers in a plebiscite taken one year ago. The building now known as the "Willow Lodge" will provide such accommodation and so, it may be argued, \$35,000 of the purchase price fulfills the city's obligation regarding the museum building.

In addition, more adequate and suitable quarters will be available for the board of trade and tourist bureau offices, which are most unsatisfactory under present conditions. The log structure on the property lends itself admirably to all these accommodations with but little renovation.

The removal of these offices from their present location at the foot of Bernard will permit for the removal of the unsightly buildings now on that property. With their removal, the property can be developed into a most attractive small park right on Bernard Avenue and the lakeshore. Few cities are ever fortunate enough to be presented with this opportunity.

City officials should be congratulated on the successful conclusion of this transaction which can be of great value to the city. In doing so, however, it is only fair to recall that it was the late Mayor Ladd who saw possibilities, who had the vision, and who carried out the negotiations almost to their completion.



WHO'S GOING TO TAKE THE WHEEL? YOU'RE THE BOSS!

### "NOT ENOUGH WESTERN ACTION"

## Pearson Suggests Canada Should Answer Russian Note

MONTREAL (CP)—Lester B. Pearson suggested today Canada answer Russia's latest letter by point by point and said "perhaps the time has come for the west to send a few letters itself."

"We react too often and don't act enough ourselves," Mr. Pearson said in a luncheon address to the Canadian Club of Montreal, his first since returning Sunday from receiving the Nobel peace prize at Oslo.

He expressed the hope the Paris NATO talks may bring forth some ideas "to encourage and facilitate new diplomatic and political initiatives" on the Western side.

He said Canadians should be thinking of strengthening the Atlantic community in economic terms and suggested that rather than trying to divert trade from the United States to Britain, Canada should "get more eggs into other baskets."

### NATO MUST NOT OBSTRUCT

NATO "must never be an obstacle to constructive negotiations" with Russia, Mr. Pearson

said. New flexibility should be sought in the approach to cold-war problems to allay fears, if they existed, that NATO was such a barrier.

There could be no strong Atlantic coalition while some member countries were less fortunate than others economically. This called for the "freest possible movement of commerce" among other things and increased economic unity.

Mr. Pearson said he read Premier Bulygin's letter, delivered to Canada on the eve of the NATO talks.

"All of it may not be 'entirely bad,'" he said "although I must confess that some parts don't appear very good."

But the letter should be taken seriously and not by point by point. One point that should be refuted was the Russian thesis that local wars automatically mean a general war.

Mr. Pearson also expressed hope Canada will accept the letter's invitation for constructive proposals to better the international situation.

### LETTER TO EDITOR

Editor,  
Daily Courier.

### NEWS TREATMENT

On Sat. Dec. 7 the following item of news was broadcast from radio station CKOV as part of its 7.30 a.m. newscast, and dealt with comment received from other countries on the failure of the U.S. satellite launching effort the previous day.

The item was carried on wires of Canadian Press as follows: "The early comment by the Russians has been restrained. For example, Soviet Communist boss Khrushchev said only that, he is sure America will launch an artificial moon—sooner or later."

Such an expression of sympathy from Khrushchev is about what might be expected from someone acquainted with the difficulties of the project, just as the storm of sneers and sarcasm from the British press is what could be expected from those so backward as to be technically not even interested.

Still, this does not quite explain why neither the Vancouver Sun nor the Kelowna Courier, and probably many other papers failed to register this example of Russian courtesy as an item of news at the time.

One can only guess; mine, and I will only make one is that, in their massive conceit, Canadian news editors decided almost instinctively that it would not be in Canada's best interests for me and others to be exposed to this Russian trap.

Yours truly,

WM. MORRISON.

(Editor's note: This newspaper cannot possibly use all the wordage which pours in 24 hours each day over the wires of the Canadian Press. A selection has to be made. We do our best.

As for the particular news item mentioned, we do not even know whether we received it. In any event as quoted it is open to question. Mr. Morrison reads the words as conciliatory and sympathetic. Mr. Khrushchev's past record impels us to read it as loaded with sarcasm and thinly-veiled lampooning of the Americans.)

### LUCKY NUMBER

HENLOW, England (CP)—Mrs. H. Johnson was asked to draw the lucky number at a British Legion dinner in this Bedfordshire community. From 500 tickets the first number she drew was her own.

### PROFITABLE "CROP"

REGINA (CP)—The federal agriculture department in 1948 purchased some southern Saskatchewan land to develop as a demonstration plot. They got it cheap because of grasshopper infestation. Now the farm has four producing oil wells.

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### OTTAWA REPORT

## "Big Three" Leadership

By PATRICK NICHOLSON  
(Specially written for  
The Daily Courier)

OTTAWA: The failure of the leaders of the Western "Big Three" nations to give leadership and the urgent need for the Western allies to face up to our present danger, prompted a group of private citizens to urge our Prime Minister, John Diefenbaker, to step into the ready but vacant international limelight.

The scene: the conference of heads of the governments of the North Atlantic allies at Paris, France, this week.

The script: by far-sighted and courageous proposals eloquently put forward, to seize the conference by the scruff of its neck, shake it out of its complacency, and emerge in world headlines as the strong-man of the gathering. This of course is a role which Prime Minister John Diefenbaker has played before, at the Conference of Commonwealth Prime Ministers in London this summer.

The group pressing this action on the Prime Minister were the sponsors of a document entitled "The Declaration of Atlantic Unity," which was issued three years ago, urging our governments to make a reality of the North Atlantic community. Prominent citizens in nearly all the NATO nations signed that Declaration. Among the Canadian signers were three men who have since become Cabinet Ministers: John Diefenbaker himself, Trade Minister Gordon Churchill, and External Affairs Minister Sidney Smith.

### DECLARATION OF 1957

The group expressed its view in the following letter addressed to the Prime Minister:

"The Atlantic Community has been shaken out of its complacency by the extraordinary achievements of the Soviet Union. The signers of this letter do not regard the situation with either fear or despondency. On the contrary, we believe that the North Atlantic allies now have another chance—perhaps the last—to make the Atlantic Community a reality."

"We feel that the objectives sought in The Declaration of Atlantic Unity, which you and two of your Cabinet colleagues signed, had, as their affirmative basis, the age-old hopes of men for a world in which law, order and justice were supreme."

"Recent scientific developments

are revolutionary in their implications. These developments must be matched by equally revolutionary changes in our thinking. "We are convinced that safety does not lie in the perpetuation of national rivalries, nor in the maintenance of certain outmoded manifestations of national sovereignty. Security can only be achieved by the nations of the alliance freely surrendering areas of their sovereignty for the greater benefit of all."

"We believe that the more powerful nations of the North Atlantic alliance have hitherto considered themselves sufficiently strong to dispense with the inconvenience of any adventure into new and uncharted international relationships. It is possible that these nations would now be embarrassed to propose steps which they have previously brushed aside. In these circumstances, we believe that an opportunity and a duty will await the spokesman of Canada at this month's meeting of the NATO Council."

### OPPORTUNITY AWAITS CANADA

The letter then concluded by saying:

"With the stage thus set for leadership, we urge you that you seize the opportunity and accept the duty to propose to the leaders of other nations in NATO that certain measures be set in train at once."

The measures proposed were threefold. First, to progressively and selectively lower tariffs, to free currencies, and to eliminate trade restrictions within the Atlantic Community and its friends.

Second, to pool scientific knowledge and facilities. Third, to set up a supra-national authority for the Atlantic Community to handle certain matters of common interest while preserving the national heritage of each ally.

Among those who signed this letter were Hon. Lester Pearson and Hon. Paul Martin, both former Liberal Cabinet Ministers; Mr. M. J. Coldwell, leader of the C.C.F.; George Hahn, foreign affairs expert of the Social Credit group; Claude Jodan, head of the Canadian Labor Congress; and other labor leaders, as well as clergy, university professors, newspapermen, business men, Senators and Members of Parliament. It was perhaps the most significant Canadian autograph collection since the meeting of the Fathers of Confederation.

## rpm's column

### Is It Christmas?

It must be Christmas! Christmas and its hurly-burly that is confusing some of the city's women.

Two little real life stories which came to me last week have given me a number of good chuckles.

One of the town's well-known women, who wouldn't be caught dead on the street improperly dressed, the other day spent the whole afternoon down town shopping. Even tried on hats.

When she got home she found to her horror and real embarrassment that she had been down town all afternoon with one black patent leather shoe and one red one!

And, too, there was the woman who went to vote Thursday. Leaving the polling room she noticed she only had her right-

hand glove. She went back and looked around the room, asked the returning officer if anyone had found her glove; even looked into the polling booth where she had marked her ballot. She didn't find her glove there. She started to leave and then discovered the lost glove—on her left hand.

### GOOD SCOUT

WINDSOR, Ont. (CP)—Three generations of the Barker family helped celebrate the 40th anniversary of the Windsor Boy Scouts' third troop. Apart from grandfather, father and son, grandmother is president of the ladies' auxiliary.

### STEAMSHIP FOUNDER

Samuel Cunard, founder of the great steamship line, was a native of Halifax.

## GOING OVERSEAS?

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## Four Countries, Half People

Four of the world's major countries contain within their geographical limits approximately half the world's population.

The four are Communist China, India, the Soviet Union and the United States.

The report to this effect from the Commerce Department at Washington is supplemented by the statement that another one-sixth of the world's population is living in six other countries with 50 million or more inhabitants each, it said. These are Japan, Indonesia, Pakistan, Brazil, the United Kingdom and West Germany.

Only one person in 10 lives in the numerous small nations, territories, and dependencies with populations of less than 10 million. The department's report gave short-

term estimates on the population growth in principal countries but omitted mainland China, saying that not enough information is available to support a moderately reliable estimate.

The 1953 estimate giving the total population of China as 582,603,000 was cited, with no growth estimates.

The second greatest country, India, is expected to have a population of 388,797,000 by next January 1, and 393,702,000 by January 1, 1959.

Estimates for the Soviet Union's population next January and a year later were 205,989,000 and 209,553,000 respectively.

For the United States a total population of 172,722,000 is projected for January 1, 1958, and 175,644,000 at the start of 1959.

### INTERPRETING THE NEWS

## UN Assembly Gets Mass Of Phony Grievances

By ED SIMON  
Canadian Press Staff Writer

It has become almost part of the rules of the game for an aggrieved party with a complaint on the United Nations agenda to engineer an outbreak of violence in the area under discussion as a prelude to the debate.

The new wave of riots that began in Cyprus last weekend obviously was timed to influence members of the UN assembly. But in a small and emotionally charged island there is always the danger that organized disorder may slip from the control of its sponsors.

With the arrival of Sir Hugh Foot, a civilian known for his liberal views, to replace Gen. Sir John Harding as governor of the British-held island, there were widespread hopes of renewing negotiations on the future status of the strife-ridden colony. If a solution for the conflicting claims of its Greek and Turkish residents was not yet in sight, the atmosphere, at least, had cooled.

### DUBIOUS SOLUTION

Now violence by the EOKA extremists, dedicated to union with Greece, has been met by violence from the Turkish community, which demands partition into national segments. British troops have received and caused casualties in their efforts to curb the riots.

### Partition of an Area smaller than Cape Breton Island and with three times its population is a dubious solution, complicated by the mingling of Greek and Turkish settlements throughout the colony. But the turbulence of the last few years has done little to convince the 20-per-cent Turkish minority that it would benefit from Greek rule.

Inflaming the relationships of the Cypriots is the political emphasis on the dispute in Turkey and Greece, both with governments which feel their hand forced by an aggressively nationalist opposition.

### DEFENCE FACTOR

Britain's reliance on Cyprus as a Mediterranean bastion has been reduced in recent defence planning but it remains an important factor in the North Atlantic

Treaty framework. More important, a solution of the island's problems is vital to Britain to counteract unfavorable reactions abroad.

Discussions at next week's NATO summit conference in Paris, where the disputants can get down to cases in private after the exchange of propaganda blasts in the UN Assembly, may relieve the situation at least temporarily.

But Sir Hugh Foot's ultimate task of bringing the parties together has not been made easier by the rekindling of old grudges

with fresh bloodshed. A likely first step would be the return of Archbishop Makarios to the Greek Cypriot leader, who was exiled by Harding nearly two years ago, and a relaxation of restrictive emergency regulations. EOKA leaders insist that Makarios must represent them in any talks on the island's future.

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### BYGONE DAYS

#### 10 YEARS AGO

December, 1947

Re-opening of the Joe Rich Valley elementary school, closed this year due to insufficient attendance, will be investigated by the board of trustees of Kelowna School district 23 following an appeal from a Joe Rich resident.

The City of Kelowna's second reservoir, capable of storing 1,000,000 gallons of water, which is considered sufficient to look after the city's needs for the next 20 or 30 years was completed early this week. City Engineer Harry Blakeborough and his assistant George Meckling flicked a switch which started the massive pumps pouring water into the huge tank. Built at a cost of approximately \$110,000, officials state it will look after a population of 30,000 people.

#### 20 YEARS AGO

December, 1937

Mrs. Isabel Stillingfleet, British Empire Packing Queen, arrived home today, with her laurels from England.

#### 30 YEARS AGO

December, 1927

Deep snow and a cold night failed to cool the ardor of lovers of good music, who turned out in large numbers to hear Mme. Gertrude Huntly, distinguished Canadian pianist, in the Empress

#### 40 YEARS AGO

December, 1917

Having accomplished its work, Kelowna's Victory Loan committee disbanded itself, when numerous votes and expressions of thanks were passed to all who had in any way assisted Kelowna in raising its handsome total of \$209,050 in subscription to the loan.

#### 50 YEARS AGO

December, 1907

From a real estate advertisement: Special—A ten-acre block in the townsite, close to Bernard Avenue. Owned by the North-West and must be sold. Price: \$400 an acre, or \$450 on easy terms.

#### BIBLE THOUGHT

Then shall decree a thing, and it shall be established unto thee. Job 22:28.

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1 John 3:1.

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HOLIDAY ENSEMBLE

Red has the spotlight in dresses this winter, says Gwen Cowlet in her facets of fashion, so if you choose red in either of the styles shown above, or any other style, for that matter, don't forget that special make-up is necessary.

Many red dresses will grace Christmas parties this year, and if this color is to flatter, special make-up is essential, says a Hollywood expert. It should be the clearest, lightest shade you can wear if your skin is to look natural.

Wear a clear, clear red lipstick that has the country freshness of a rosy apple. Eyes need stronger accent with a red frock, so choose a sooty blend for your lashes. Because green is red's complementary color, eye shadow is best in this color.

## Playing School At Home Speeds Pre-Kindergarten Education

By GARRY CLEVELAND MYERS, Ph.D.

SOMETIMES a child will miss being eligible for kindergarten by a few months and must remain at home while his playmates go off to school. Taking pity on him, the mother will try to teach him at home the skills he would be learning in school.

**INDIVIDUAL INSTRUCTION**  
While this individual instruction will be helpful to him, it still can't be compared to the advantages of going to school, mingling with other children, learning along with them from a teacher and from one another.

For example, an Ohio mother writes:  
"My son who is almost five missed out on kindergarten by a few months while two of his favorite playmates were admitted. Of course, they are very enthusiastic about it."

"My son was so disappointed that I promised that while his friends are in school he and I will have a special play school for one hour each day. However, I'm not quite sure how to go about this."

"He has a good vocabulary for

his age and an inexhaustible curiosity. He asks very intelligent questions and we always answer them in a way that he will understand."

"He has a happy personality. His playmates have ranged in age from 2 to 10 and he is accepted by them all. We try to make all his playmates welcome. We have a large yard and have provided outdoor equipment for play."

This was my reply:  
It is well that you wish to help him learn some of the skills he might have learned had he been able to enter school with his playmates. It will please him to have a daily period which he thinks is school."

**LEARNING FROM PLAY**  
However, don't think of formal instruction. It's important to think of his learning all the time, anywhere and mostly from play. Provide him with ample play materials, especially those which develop his creative talents.

Large sheets of paper for drawing with crayon, pencil or paint; blocks for building, clay for molding, paper for cutting and pasting and the like.

In that recently published and

excellent book "Home Play for the Preschool Child," by June Johnson (Harpers), you will find ever so many suggestions. Encourage him to have fun with other children, especially after school and weekends. Read to him often and continue answering his questions and explaining things to him.

## BIRTHS

### BORN AT THE KELOWNA GENERAL HOSPITAL

**DILLMAN:** Born to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Dillman, R.R. 3, Kelowna, December 10, a daughter.

**OISHI:** Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tosh Oishi, R.R. 3, Kelowna, December 10, a son.

**YOSHIM:** Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Yoshim, 806 Coronation Ave., Kelowna, December 13, a son.

**CONN:** Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Conn, 661 Morrison Ave., Kelowna, on December 15, a son.

**JUROME:** Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Jurome, R.R. 3, Kelowna, December 16, a daughter.

### OUT-OF-TOWN BIRTHS

**GURNEY:** Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gurney (nee Flo Cascoro), at Vancouver, December 5, a daughter, 9 lbs. 7 ozs. A sister for Deane.

## Indian Woman Nominated To Band Council

**BROCKET, Alta. (CP)** — A woman was nominated for band councillor for the first time this year on this southern Alberta Indian reservation.

But Mrs. Madeline Good Rider — wife of Hector Good Rider — was defeated at the polls as Samson Knowlton was elected ninth councillor of the Peigan Indian band. Along with her, three male candidates were defeated.

Chief of the Peigan Indians is John Yellowhorn. All councillors are also known as sub-chiefs and are elected for life on this reservation. This practice is not general in Canada, where many bands elect their chief and councillors for a period of two years only.

The Peigan band is increasing and is entitled to elect one councillor for each 100 members. The tribe now numbers 912, resulting in the election of an additional councillor.

H. N. Woodsworth, Indian agent at Brocket, says additional councillors will be elected as the population increases until 12 councillors are named. Twelve is the maximum number allowed under terms of the Indian Act for each band.

## Wife Preservers



Chilly nights are ideal for the busy housewife trying to entertain with minimum of preparation and fuss. She can serve something in a chafing dish. With a main dish of this type, little else is needed. And it creates a warm atmosphere that is very cozy on winter evenings.

## Paintings With Christmas Theme Exhibited In Library Room

By DORA GELLATLY

An interesting display of paintings hangs in the library board room, these being the result of the art contest sponsored by the Kelowna Arts Council for paintings with a Christmas theme.

There are three classes, and paintings will remain in the library until the end of the month. Painting were judged by Miss J. Topham-Brown, of Vernon, and her committee of two.

Class 1 was open to students under 16; class two to students or amateurs over 16 and Class 3 for professionals.

In class 1 Gerhardt Bopple and Marie Ann Bleile tied for 1st place, both of which depicted scenes of the Nativity. The work

of three students in this class was highly commended: Janice Stubbs for her "No Room In The Inn," Jim Samoylove for his sleighride scene, and Pam Fisher for her painting of a lad driving home laden with Christmas parcels. David Maas, 6 years old now, exhibited a crayon drawing done when he was four, which received special mention.

In class 2 the tie for first place was between Mrs. E. F. Maas and Colin McCormick. Mrs. Maas depicted Christmas in La Ceiba, Honduras, C.A., where on Christmas morning the Carib dancers go from house to house singing and dancing, and are usually given money, bread, milk and so on.

Colin McCormick depicted a Christmas scene, with modern cars, shop windows and lights, but with the old-fashioned spirit of Christmas reigning over all. Mrs. H. Epp received special mention for her Nativity scene, and S. T. White's still-life was highly commended.

In the professional class Mrs. M. A. Grigsby was awarded first prize for her modernistic Nativity scene, and another modern, by Mrs. Emmy Bouma, was highly commended.

## HITHER AND YON

**HOLIDAYS AT HOME** . . . Arriving home this week for Christmas will be three Kelowna students attending St. George's school for boys, in Vancouver. They are John Hankey, Barry Crawford and Bud Truswell, who will enjoy almost three weeks holiday before reporting back for school re-opening on January 9.

**FROM COAST** . . . Keith Berard will arrive back in Kelowna this week, after completing his ranger course at Green Timbers Forestry School at New Westminster.

**MR. AND MRS. K. BECK**, Sutherland Ave. will travel to Kamloops this Christmas to spend the holiday with Mr. Beck's parents Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Beck.

**MISS MARINA HUBBLE** left Friday for a five week visit to England. Flying the Polar route, Miss Hubble will be present for the wedding of her sister which takes place Dec. 21.

**VISITING** her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lloyd-Jones, Mrs. W. Lloyd-Jones will spend Christmas in Penticton this year.

**THE EXECUTIVE** and officers of the Kelowna and District Teachers Federation will be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Bonford when they hold open house this Saturday evening.

**FRIDAY EVENING**, members of the Kelowna Little Theatre will gather at the KLT building for their annual Christmas party.

**MR. AND MRS. T. CAPOZZI** are now settled in their home at Okanagan Mission just in time to welcome their many friends during the festive season.

**WIVES OF THE SERGEANTS** of "B" Squadron, British Columbia Dragoons with the serving officers and their wives will be guests when the annual Christmas party is held this Saturday evening in the sergeants' mess at the Kelowna armory.

**MR. AND MRS. JOHN SWAISLAND** of Okanagan Mission with children Anne, Gerry, Peter and Ian are journeying to Vancouver to spend Christmas with Mr. Swaisland's mother, Mrs. G. W. Swaisland.

**TRAVELLING TO THE COAST** this week, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Monteith will celebrate this Christmas with Mrs. Monteith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence of North Vancouver.

**A YULETIDE HOLIDAY** at Ladysmith is planned by Mr. and Mrs. Merton Bourke, Burne Ave. Daughters Bronwen, Brenda and Barbara will accompany their parents when they visit Mrs. Bourke's family in the Island city.

**MRS. A. M. SCRIMGEOUR** of Victoria is arriving in Kelowna this week to visit her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. Maxwell Scrimgeour, Park Ave. during the festive season.

**IT'S CHRISTMAS** in the Cariboo for Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Patterson who with Susan and Norman plan to celebrate the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Nicol of 100 Mile House.

**HOMEWARD BOUND** for the holiday are Miss Elaine Chalcraft of the Raymer Ave. school teaching staff whose home is in Vancouver, and Miss Anita Blackman, a pupil at Kelowna Senior High School, who will visit her family in Valemount.

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## Fashionable New Ski Clothing Is Cozy And Easy To Care For

By ELEANOR ROSS

Ski clothes were never more handsome or more fashionable than they are this season.

### RAINBOW COLORS

For instance, parkas are available in a color range that matches the rainbow. Some are embellished with embroidery or woven designs.

Special finishes, designed primarily to make them water-repellent, also make them spot-and-wind-resistant. This means that surface soil can sometimes be wiped off with a sudsy sponge followed by a damp cloth.

Most parkas are also completely washable, since they are made of such fabrics as cotton, poplin and nylon blends. After washing in warm water, rinse away all traces of suds since these interfere with water-repellency if they are left in.

Some of the new parkas, jackets and tow coats reverse from a contrasting light color on the one side to a deeper or from a solid color to a printed surface, or they reverse from a smooth to rough fabric pile.

The closely-woven fabrics are excellent insulators, so just one or two sweaters are sufficient underneath. This is a far cry from the bulky sweater fashions of just a few years ago.

### FOR AFTER SKIING

While ski sweaters are handsome, they are mainly for after skiing and are usually worn over lightweight, wind-resistant parkas. Washable slipper-socks to match or harmonize with the sweaters, are a convenient and attractive warm-up accessory for after-skiwear. Ski pants, this season, are notable for new fashion and fit features.

Some are made of half-nylon and half-wool, specially woven and processed so that they stretch to fit. They come in solid colors or in bold, vertical stripes.

### DANCER'S TIGHTS

Long ski underwear or dancer's tights provide undercover insulation. Stretch tights made of cotton or synthetic yarns, combine snug fit with great flexibility. The best way to retain their close fit is to wash them after each wearing.

Two or three layers of socks will protect the feet from frostbite better than one heavy pair. Wear cotton socks next to the feet to absorb perspiration. The other layers should be wool or a warm synthetic blend for insulation. Some skiers prefer stretch socks with some synthetic fiber content, because they assure snug

fit and also dry faster than wool after laundering.

Wear wool mittens instead of gloves under ski mitts and fingers will warm each other.

### LAZY SKIERS

Many ski resorts are now designed to appeal to lazy skiers with mechanical lifts and bar-tows replacing the old fashioned, hard-to-hold rope tows. An incidental benefit is that ski gloves don't have to contend with rope friction and thus last longer.

To prevent ski glasses from fogging, rub lenses with soap and then polish with tissue or soft cloth. This really works, preventing moisture from condensing on the glass.

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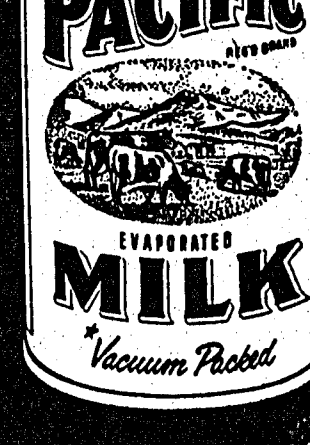
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## Former Kelowna Girl To Wed In Edmonton

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Shewchuk, 1233 Ethel St., Kelowna, wish to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Elsie Maloff, of Edmonton, to Mr. Allan Derron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Derron, Edmonton. The wedding will take place in Edmonton, February 8. Miss Maloff grew up and attended school here, and only recently left for Edmonton.



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Friday, Dec. 20	9:00 P.M.
Saturday, Dec. 21	5:30 P.M.
Monday, Dec. 23	9:00 P.M.
Tuesday, Dec. 24	5:30 P.M.
Wednesday, Dec. 25	Closed All Day
Thursday, Dec. 26	Closed All Day
Friday, Dec. 27	5:30 P.M.
Saturday, Dec. 28	5:30 P.M.
Monday, Dec. 30	5:30 P.M.
Tuesday, Dec. 31	5:30 P.M.
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## GIFT SUGGESTION

By TRACY ADRIAN  
Here's a really handsome Christmas present for a dear lady in your life, whether she is grandmother, mother, wife or sister.  
It is an opulent coat of Per-

lan lamb designed by Schlappertell and features a black satin scarf, drawn through a wide collar of black-dyed milk and tied in a huge bow. The luxurious topper has cuffed sleeves and is gracefully full.





## SPORTLIGHT

## Packers' Rear Guard Not Happy To Play On Bench

By GEORGE INGLIS  
(Courier Sports Editor)

A really "solid citizen" is Andy McCallum. One of those persons who believes in playing the game he loves as often as possible, the blocky Packers' defence man is a hard man to put out of action.

Suffering from a badly swollen right foot now, he tapes it up, pulls on a larger skate, and goes right on with the job at hand. When the active 'flu bug hit him earlier in the season, he just threw on a sweat jacket for practices, and let the water roll off, driving out the malady.

He doesn't believe in playing his hockey from the sidelines, this even-tempered, good-natured guy who wears over 200 stitches to prove he's been in some hockey games.

Over 50 of those stitches were picked up last year, in what Andy terms "a real bad year." In one incident, he was hit in the mouth by a skate that knocked out five teeth, and gashed him up badly enough to require many stitches, but he just missed five minutes of the game.

It was last year, too, that his wife Angie lay in hospital, hovering on death's door from an abscess following a gall bladder operation. He was a little pressed for time then, Andy admits, working, playing hockey, looking after 4-year-old Bobby and visiting Angie, but he never missed a practice.

He was with Windsor Bull Dogs in the OHA senior "A" league last year, and it was with the same club the previous year that he had badly pulled ligaments and had to be forced to go to hospital. He went unwillingly, but only for long enough to be fitted with a steel brace that he wore the rest of the year.

One application of embroidery was 30 stitches to the head, when he went down to block a puck while playing for Chicoutimi, and was cross-checked by Bus Gagnon, later with the K-W Dutchmen.

The happy part of it all, Andy grinned, was the fact that he has never had trouble with broken bones. He separated his shoulder once and broke it once, but for the most part he has been ventilated rather than snapped.

Would he do it all over again? Certainly!

## ORCHARD CITY CITIZEN

A former prairie dweller, Andy and his wife, Angie, have come to Kelowna with the idea of hanging their hats up here.

"I hope to be able to play for about five years," is his wish. A player who has carried the puck for many a championship team, he says quite earnestly that the Packers have the "harmony, talent and drive that can help them win this league."

The Orchard City is a highlight in a long, hard hockey career of which Andy has loved every minute. Born in Moose Jaw, he moved to Brandon at the age of one year, and lived there for his minor hockey years.

Minor hockey was rather a haphazard affair, and he got most of his playing after the men had gone home. Working as a rink rat in the air force rink, during the war years, Andy often got home as late as 2 a.m. from a session on the ice.

He started his hockey with Brandon Elks, a junior club, playing with fellows like Bing Jukes, Wally Hergesheimer and Carl Kaiser, and spent two years as captain of the Medicine Hat Tigers in junior as well, winning the most popular player award.

He had a taste of pro hockey at the end of the 48-49 season with the Tigers, moving up to Calgary Stampede for a few games, and the following year he started with Owen Sound Mercurys, and finished the year with Providence Reds.

Providence traded him to Syracuse, and he didn't start his second season with them until December, due to two major operations, the result of playing hockey 12 days after an appendix operation.

When he came back into action, Chicoutimi purchased him for \$4,000 from Syracuse, and he went to the championship that year with the QHL club, who are leading the league again, this year.

The next year, still with Chicoutimi, he ran afoul of Gagnon's stick, and when he recovered, he was sent to Terry Reardon's Sydney Millionaires, who also went to the league championship.

From Sydney, Murph Chamberlain took him to Windsor, and he captained the club to the finals twice, and to first place in the league last year.

He was pretty well a fixture with the Bull Dogs, but he and Angie, his boyhood sweetheart, never cared much for eastern Canada. When they received a letter last spring from the player-seeking Packers, they decided to look into the place and the league. They liked what they saw.

It was a case of love at first sight.

## THE GAME'S THE THING

He wasn't just sold on the real estate, however.

"I liked the looks of the place immediately, and I like the idea of being able to get in some hunting and fishing, but the hockey situation was what really sold me."

They play a good brand of hockey here, says this veteran of the hockey wars, and the Packers hockey club is a club he likes playing with.

"I think the club has plenty of harmony," he said reflectively, soaking his swollen foot, and looking back at championship clubs he had been on before.

"And with that harmony supplemented by plenty of drive, they have the talent to go all the way here. We're short-stuffed on the defence right now, but when we get back in full force, we'll be a hard club to beat."

With solid citizens like Andy on the roster, he may be right, too.

## Curlers Planning Gala Days For Christmas Season Play

KELOWNA — Fun and games are in store for the local curlers over the Christmas holiday season, with a mixed bonspiel, a "Battle of the Nations," and the President's draw highlighting the festive days.

Kick-off will be the Christmas Mixed Bonspiel, with one lady on each team, starting at 10 a.m. on Monday and Friday league. Boxing Day, Night draws at 7 and 9 will take care of most of the playoffs in the "spiel," with the finals played on Sunday, Dec. 23.

On Monday, Dec. 30, and Thursday, Jan. 2, the "President vs. Vice-president" draw will take place, with games at 7 and 9 both nights.

**BATTLE OF NATIONS** — A novelty bonspiel with teams representing various nationalities, and the curlers encouraged to wear the costume of their nationality, will be a one-day affair, starting at 10 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 2.

A preview of costume possibilities showed that Bill Hanson will be wearing a Kilt, Tom Tomiyama.

a black Judo belt, and Walter Hobbs a monocle. Visitors will be welcomed to the mixed Christmas bonspiel, which is an open affair.

Leaders in the regular curling of the men's draw are Enoch Smith and Vic Cowley, each with eight wins and two losses in the Monday and Friday league.

**MEN'S LEAGUE** — Olaf Anderson is leading the Tuesday and Thursday league, with seven wins and two losses, and Nels Clow is right behind him with six wins, two losses.

Monday's draw in the President's play will be: 7 p.m.—Turner vs. Gerry Lipsett; Serwa vs. Cowley; Cam Lipsett vs. Robson, and Walter vs. Smith.

9 p.m.—Halkes vs. Schmoltz; Campbell vs. Enns; Harrop vs. Walker, and Pieper vs. Walker.

Thursday's draw, 7 p.m.—Clow vs. McCaugherty; Day vs. Boslock; Linenko vs. Moir, and Conklin vs. Penson.

9 p.m.—Shirrell vs. Denney; Day vs. Underwood; Newby vs. Johnson, and Anderson vs. Stog.



## ALL BUNCHED UP

TRAFFIC JAM — There are times when things get rather frantic around the Packers' goal on Saturday night as the Penticton Vees stormed Packers' net-minder Dave Gatherum. Above, the stubby, league-leading goalie tries to clear V's forward Johnny Utendale from his doorstep, while Packers' defence man, Andy McCallum, tries to clear the puck and help remove Utendale at the same time. Utendale, furthest from left, looks quite unconcerned about it all.

(Courier Staff Photo)

## Howe Challenges Habs' Supremacy

MONTREAL (CP) — Gordie Howe of Detroit, the 1956-57 National Hockey League scoring champion, amassed seven points in the Red Wings' last three games in a serious threat to topple the long-time leader in this season's race.

Howe scored four goals and assisted on three to advance into a third-place tie at 31 points with Dickie Moore of Montreal, who managed only one assist in the Canadiens' last three games.

The current weekly NHL statistics show Howe with 14 goals and 17 assists and Moore with 13 goals and 18 assists.

Henri (Pocket Rocket) Richard of the Canadiens is still on top, but only four points ahead of Howe and Moore. The Pocket Rocket, the top goal-getter, scored his 15th goal and picked up his 20th assist for a 35-point total.

Clubmate Jean Beliveau, who missed the Canadiens' last two games because of an injury, holds second spot with 12 goals and 20 assists for 32 points, the same as a week ago. He and the Pocket Rocket are tied for first MacKell, Boston 9 14 23 18

The positions of the clubs in the league standing are unchanged from a week ago. The Canadiens are first with 41 points, made up of 18 victories and five ties in 28 games.

The leaders:

H. Richard, Mtl 15 20 35 11  
Beliveau, Mtl 12 20 32 40  
Howe, Detroit 14 17 31 22  
Moore, Mtl 13 18 31 36  
Horvath, Boston 12 16 28 20  
Batthgate, NY 9 16 25 13  
Stasiuk, Boston 11 13 24 14  
Henry, New York 14 9 23 2  
M. Richard, Mtl 11 12 23 2  
Geoffrion, Mtl 10 13 23 14  
MacKell, Boston 9 14 23 18

## KELOWNA JUNIORS WILL BE HOSTING SUMMERLAND TONIGHT AT 8:15

The Kelowna Junior Packers will host the Summerland club here at 8:15 tonight, in a regular Okanagan-Mainline fixture.

Kelowna's powerful squad have been copping their share of wins so far this season, paced by high-scoring Bob Jablonski and Dennis Casey.

Midget hockey game, slated for 6:30, will have to be moved ahead to 6:00 to make way for the junior tilt.

## Ski Instructor To Stage Dry School Here

KELOWNA — Kids who want to start skiing before the snow flies in the Orchard City can attend a free, dry ski school at Ritchies Sports Store on Pender Street Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.

A highly experienced skier, former instructor of the UES ski team, Arnie Teasdale, will conduct the school, which takes place on the second floor of the store.

Teasdale, a veteran skier and instructor, is living in Kelowna now, and offered to conduct the school to introduce local youngsters to some of the facets of the sport, even though Black Knight Mountain remains unhappily uncovered for skiing.

All the kids are asked to bring in their skis, boots and poles, and they will be welcomed to the interesting school.

Local skiers who tried their luck up north Sunday, found Silver Star covered by about three feet of snow, and in perfect condition for skiing. Anyone who can't wait for snow here and doesn't mind a bit of a hike can try their luck there.

Local skiers, praying for snow, have been re-inforced lately by the kids, who are praying for a white Christmas.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Duke Snider is going to have the left knee that bothered him so much last season operated on this week. The Los Angeles Dodgers' centre fielder will enter hospital to have some cartilage removed.

## Oslo Sets Stage For World Puck Championships

OSLO (AP) — Thirteen countries have entered for the 1958 world hockey championships here, the organizers announced today.

They are Canada, Czechoslovakia, East Germany, Russia, Sweden, Poland, Hungary, Romania, Yugoslavia, the United States, Finland, West Germany and Norway.

The championships will take place at the Jordal Amfi Olympic Arena here from Feb. 28 to March 9. The deadline for final confirmation of entries is Jan. 15.

Canada's entry will be the Whitby (Ont.) Dunlops, Allan Cup winners last season, coached by Sid Smith, former National Hockey League star with Toronto Maple Leafs.

Whitby defeated a Russian team 7-2 in its recent eight-game tour of eastern Canada.

Reigh Sets Pace In Gal's Curling

Norah Reigh's rink is leading the women's curling league, with six wins and one loss, and only two games to go.

The Alston and Cummings rinks are tied for second spot, with five wins and two losses apiece.

Curling in the women's draw will wind up this weekend, on the pre-Christmas schedule.

## HOCKEY STANDINGS

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Kelowna	15	10	1	119	100	31
Kamloops	15	10	1	126	113	31
Vernon	11	14	1	114	129	23
Penticton	9	16	1	105	125	19

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Spokane	14	8	0	97	75	28
Nelson	11	9	0	86	92	22
Rossland	10	11	0	79	77	20
Trail	8	15	0	84	102	16

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Chicoutimi	17	5	2	94	65	36
Shawinigan	15	12	2	107	96	32
Quebec	13	12	2	88	90	28
Montreal	9	14	3	71	83	21
Trois-Riv.	9	19	3	75	101	21

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Hershey	10	8	3	104	77	41
Cleveland	15	11	2	91	60	32
Providence	13	12	2	91	60	28
Buffalo	11	14	2	86	101	24
Rochester	10	14	2	74	96	22
Springfield	8	17	5	90	117	21

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
New West.	17	13	0	100	97	34
Vancouver	16	9	1	90	61	33
Seattle	13	13	2	89	94	28
Victoria	8	19	1	87	113	17

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Winnipeg	17	11	0	87	70	34
Edmonton	13	11	1	87	61	27
Sask. St.	12	13	0	70	84	24
Calgary	10	17	1	72	96	21

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## HOCKEY SCORE

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## BROTHER QUARTETTE

Curling's most famous and most feared brother quartette, the Campbell brothers of Avonlea, Sask., have broken up, with Don and Garnet instructing in the ancient game in Ontario. Garnet's first student in his one-week stand in Sudbury was Sam Rothchild, president of the Canadian Curling Association. Garnet is touring the province while Don is the instructor at the Royal Canadian Curling Club in Toronto. Above, left to right, are: Glen, Gordon, Don and Garnet.

## Congress May Be Saviour Of Ball

NEW YORK (AP) — The decision of the Columbia Broadcasting System to televise a Sunday major league Game-of-the-Week next season has brought bitter comment from baseball officials.

Said Commissioner Ford Frick: "It's a bad thing for baseball and I'm sorry some of our clubs are going in for it."

"I'm hoping that Congress will provide legislation that will take us out of the hands of the justice department and give us the right to regulate such telecasts," said Frank (Shag) Shaughnessy, president of the International League and chairman of the minor leagues' committee to block the telecasts, blasted CBS' plan to black out areas where minor league teams are playing home games as "just a cover."

"They know as well as we do that the blackout can cover only a certain area," he said.

He also maintained that the network has disregarded a congressional order in making its plans. Shaughnessy said CBS had been "warned" by a House of Representatives committee on monopolies not to proceed with its plans until hearings on the matter are completed.

Minor leagues czar George Trautman was equally unhappy. "Apparently Columbia has but one thing in mind and that is the No. 1 farm."

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The Philadelphia Phillies today announced the outright assignment of Marvin Blaylock, first baseman and outfielder, to Havana Sugar Kings of the International League. Blaylock, 28, spent much of the 1957 baseball season with Miramir Marlins, another International League club and the Phillies' one thing in mind and that is the No. 1 farm.

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## Packers May Snap Into Form Tonight

The Packers looked like the club to beat Vernon as they turned on the steam in practice at the Memorial Arena last night.

They'll have the chance to prove it tonight when they meet the defending champs in the Vernon Civic Arena at 8:00 p.m.

Coach George Agar's Canadians will have other ideas, however, and they will be seeking to

renew the thrill of their 4-0 waxing of the Chiefs on Saturday, and step on the hoodoo that has dogged them at home most of the season.

## NEED WIN STREAK

For the Packers, it will be a big win, and could be the start of a second-half win-streak that they need to send them to the league's undisputed lead.

Coach Jack O'Reilly is planning line shuffles, in an endeavor to put his club back into the productivity they displayed earlier in the season.

Defensively, the club has been one of the best in the league, largely due to the superb goal-tending displays of Dave "Stumpy" Gatherum. Shy the services of Orv Lavell tonight, they will still have Pat Coburn, Harry Smith and Andy McCallum, the trio that has handled the major portion of the defensive chores this year.

The pay-off line of Jim Middleton, Joe Kaiser and Brian Roche were really flying last night, with "Moose" Middleton pumping in more goals during the practice than Gordie Howe has all season.

With Moe Young out of the line-up again, undergoing a recurrence of his ankle injury, O'Reilly will move Greg Jablonski up to work the port side with centre Ray Powell, and regular winger Mike Durban.

Coach O'Reilly will be using Bill Swarbrick at centre on his short-staffed third line, with Bugs Jones working the wing, and Roche spelling off with Durban on the right wing.

Interested eyes will be focussed on the Kamloops Memorial Arena also, where the Vees will be seeking to stretch their winning streak to five games. In their last four starts they have beaten the Packers twice, Vernon once and Kamloops once.

The Chiefs, however, have been the best club this season on their home ice, winning more than their share of games before the hometown fans.

## Larson, Johnson Win Badminton's Club Tourney

Ches Larson and Claire Johnson won the mixed doubles in the Kelowna Badminton Club tournament last weekend, with a total of 24 players taking part.

The players were divided into two groups, with the winners of each group playing off. Doug McDougall and Marie Anderson were the winners of the second group, and runners-up for the championship.

Dave Jeffrey and Anne Martens were runners-up to Larson and Johnson in the first group, which consisted of: Leona Hoffman and Mabel Hall; Wilma Hartley and Mary Jansen; Louis Matte and Maureen Dickie; Bruce Bennett and Florence Sheir; Jeffrey and Martens, and Larson and Johnson.

Bill Bennett and Val Horniman were runners-up in the second group; Roy Chapman and Rolande Matte; Mary Stubbs and Dee Morgan; Ed Matte and Elizabeth Lawrence; Jack McPherson and Margot Gaunt; MacDougall and Anderson; Bennett and Johnson.

Both section winners took their group in five straight games, and the tussle in the finals was a tough one, 21-14 for the winners.

The club is seeking new members for badminton play, and anyone wishing to join may apply at the clubhouse at Richter and Gaston.

Anyone who desires to learn the intricacies of square dancing may join the beginners' classes at the high school lunchroom, Mondays from 8-10 p.m.

Intermediate classes are slated for Thursdays in the auditorium at the same time.

The high school classes will hold a Christmas party on Thursday, Dec. 19, in the school lunchroom, with those attending asked to bring their lunch in a paper sack.

## Oilers Made Hay On U.S. Cage Tour

KELOWNA — Hank Tostenson and his B.A. Oilers had a highly successful road trip, winning two of the three games they played, and adding the exhibition wins to Thursday night's capture of the league leadership.

Stars of the trip were Chuck and Bill Dean, and Bob Radley. Chuck threw for 20 points against Trail Saturday night and Twisp Sunday afternoon.

Bill Dean averaged 14 points per game on the trip, and Radley averaged an even dozen.

On Friday night they beat the Curlew air force base team, 70-61, and knocked over Trail Saturday night, 73-64.

The Twisp, Wash., senior "A" club took them 84-70 on Sunday afternoon, but the boys put up a good game against the AAU champs for eastern Washington.

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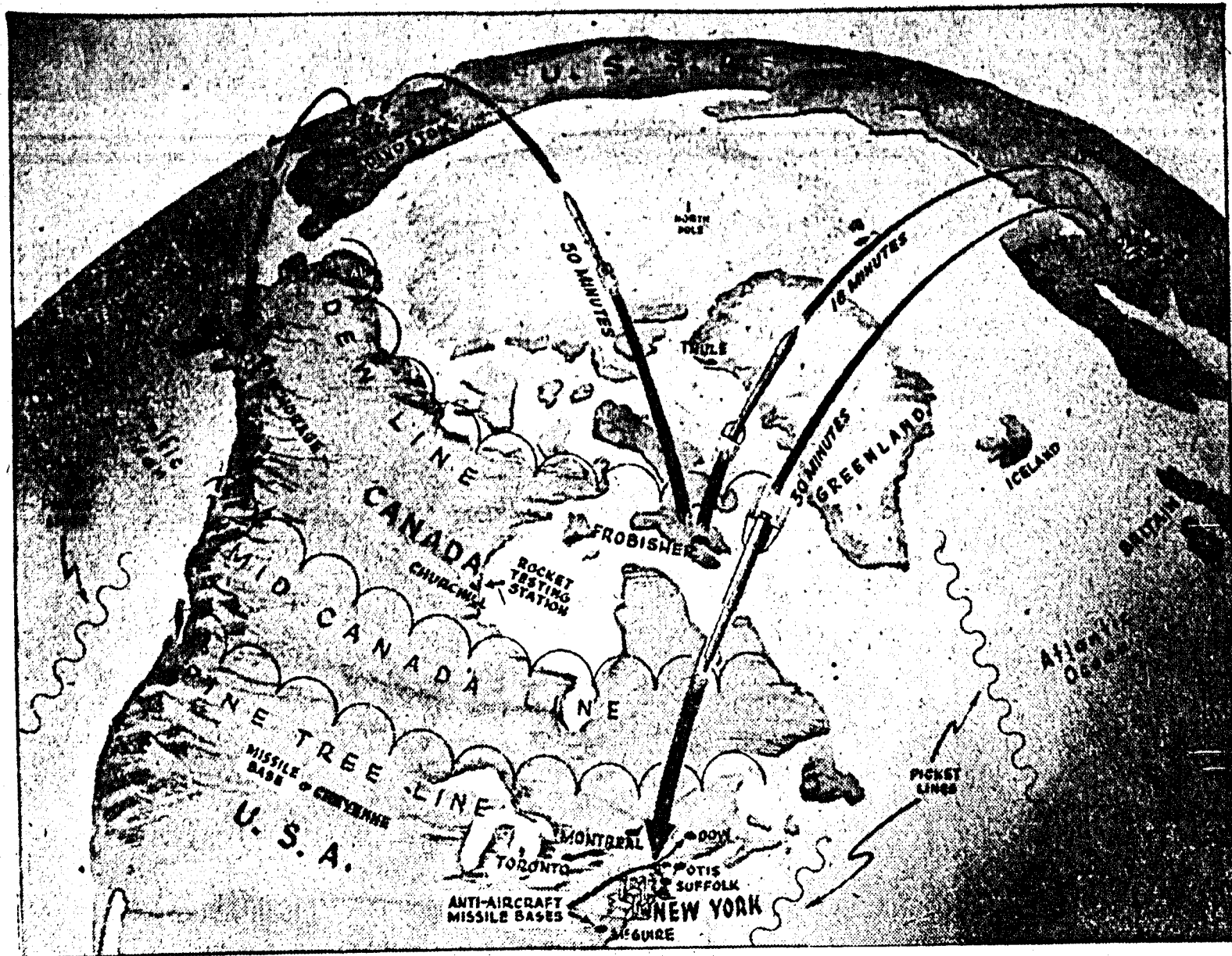
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The ballistic spotlight focuses on Frobisher Bay, N.W.T., where, it is believed, the U.S. will construct the first intercontinental missile base on Canadian land, at a cost of \$50 million. A

squadron of the Strategic Air Command of the U.S. Eighth Air Force has been based at Frobisher for the past five years. Although U.S. military authorities have neither con-

firmed nor denied rumors of the ICBM base, Frobisher Bay is a logical choice because, by ICBM time, up to 16,000 miles per hour, Moscow is only 16 minutes from Frobisher. It also

boasts one of the best fair-weather landing fields in the northern hemisphere for passenger planes and for air-lifting weapons and men.

### COMPREHENSIVE COMPUTER

## Brain Records Complete Stream Of Consciousness

By JOHN BARBOUR

NEW YORK (AP) — Everything you've ever thought, done, or said — a complete record of every conscious moment — is logged in the comprehensive computer of your brain.

You'll never be able to recall more than the tiniest fraction of it to memory. But you'll never lose it, either — not this side of earth.

These are the findings of Dr. Wilder Penfield, director of the Montreal Neurological Institute. The brain's ability to store experiences, many lying below consciousness, has been recognized for some time. But the extent of this function, as reported by Dr. Penfield, is startling.

**HOLDS DETAIL**  
"One must conclude," he says, "that there is hidden away in the brain, a record of the stream of consciousness. It seems to hold the detail of that stream as laid down during each man's waking, conscious hours."

"Contained in this record are all those things of which the individual was once aware; such detail as a man might hope to remember for a few seconds or minutes afterward, but which are largely lost to voluntary recall after that time. The things he ignored are absent from the record."

Dr. Penfield told the National Academy of Science he came across the phenomenon in work with epileptic patients over the last 20 years.

He cites the case of a 14-year-old girl whom he'll call Barbara.

"She was complaining of seizures during which she sometimes fell unconscious to the ground in an epileptic convulsion," the doctor said. "But immediately preceding such an episode she was aware of what seemed to be a hallucination. It was always the same, an experience came to her from childhood."

**FRIGHTENING EXPERIENCE**  
The experience was one of fright. She would be walking through a meadow with her brothers who had run ahead of her. Behind her came a man, carrying a bag. He told her he had snakes in the bag. She became scared and ran ahead to her brothers.

It was a true occurrence and for some years afterward she had nightmares about it. Finally it was recognized this little dream was a preface to an epileptic seizure.

In an operation under local anesthetic Dr. Penfield mapped out the sections of Barbara's brain using a stimulating elec-

trode — a sort of electric shock pencil. He applied the stimulator to the sections of the front of the brain, called the temporal cortex.

"Wait a minute," Barbara said, "and I will tell you."

Dr. Penfield took the electrode away. In a little while Barbara told him:

"I saw someone coming toward me, as though he was going to hit me."

**FRIGHT RECURS**  
"Stimulating Barbara's brain at another point made her think a lot of people were shouting at her. Three times without advance notice Dr. Penfield stimulated the same area again. Each time Barbara broke off her conversation to tell of hearing the voices of her brothers and her mother."

Each time she was frightened. After several operations, Barbara was cured of epilepsy. But her case had provided Dr. Penfield with his second experience with such memory behavior. He has recorded many similar instances since these first occurrences in the 1930s.

One patient heard music playing — a definite piece and arrangement — a definite piece and arrangement.

Each time a certain point in the brain was stimulated she was even able to hum along with the orchestra she heard.

In the great majority of cases, Dr. Penfield explained, the recalled experiences were not connected with previous epileptic attack.

Each point seems to have a place on the brain's recorded "strip of time." Stimulated at two points very close together, a young boy heard his mother talking on the phone. A little later when the electrode was set down between two points, he heard his mother talking to his brother.

**NOT MEMORY**  
Dr. Penfield found that two points could not be activated at the same time — so there was no confusion, further, he said.

"This is not memory, as we usually use the word, although it may have a relation to it. No man can recall by voluntary effort such a wealth of detail. A man may learn a song so he can sing it perfectly but he cannot recall in detail any one of the many times he heard it."

"Most things that a man is able to recall to memory are generalizations and summaries. If it were not so, we might find ourselves confused, perhaps, by too great a richness of detail."

Dr. Penfield recalled that Hippocrates, the father of medicine, believed the brain enables a man to think, hear, and see — and tell

ugly from beautiful, bad from good. His own findings, the neurosurgeon said, might be a step toward answering how the brain does these things.

When we make a decision or are called on to relate an experience, there is a key somewhere in the temporal lobes of the brain which swiftly scans the past, allowing us better to judge the present.

**Prince Doesn't Recommend Fish Be Eaten Raw**

LONDON (Reuters) — Prince Philip described himself as a "very considerable expert on fish in general" when he awarded a fishing trophy here.

He said: "I have tried to catch fish in every way from the bent pin and the worm up to using the expensive tackle sold up the street from here."

"I have been out in a drifter and I have watched a whale catcher at work. I have seen fish caught, landed, filleted, kippered, frozen, smoked, salted, packed, potted and canned."

**UNFORTUNATE RESULTS**  
"I have been to a fish research laboratory and I have frequently gone so far as to eat them — fried, boiled, soured and even raw, though I don't recommend the latter as it has sometimes rather unfortunate results."

The prince was presenting the annual Prunier Trophy to the skipper and crew who had hauled the largest single catch of herring during the autumn fishing season.

**ACTRESS IN HOSPITAL**  
HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Actress Elizabeth Taylor is in Cedars of Lebanon Hospital today for what her physician says is a checkup. The doctor added, however, that the actress may undergo an appendectomy. She was taken to the hospital Monday by her husband, producer Mike Todd.

### SAINTED THUGS! THIS IS UNIQUE

DALLAS (AP) — Library director James Meeks says the book most often stolen is the Bible. The library tries to keep about 50 copies of all versions but thefts this fall have led Meeks to order 40 more.

## Movie Studio Folds

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — What's wrong with Universal — International? Hollywood is again witnessing an agonizing sight — the breakup of a great movie studio. Last year, it was RKO, which now is virtually obliterated with the sale to Desi Arnaz.

Now U-I is undergoing a major change. Whole departments are being cleared out of veteran employees, some of them with the studio more than 30 years.

The studio has refrained from any official announcements about the exodus, but an executive commented:

"We now have 32 unreleased pictures, enough to last for more than a year. The studio is taking time out for a reappraisal of what kind of pictures we should make, how many and so forth."

Indications are that the studio will be shut down completely for at least six months. Some observers are asking if it will ever open again. And if so, will it ever be a fully-staffed studio again?

The U-I catastrophe is a puzzle. The rest of the industry figured the studio had a smart operation; it made solid, commercial movies at sensible costs and sold them efficiently.

Then what was the reason? It may have been tied in with theatre business this fall, which has been disappointing. Reports also indicate eastern banking houses have refused loans until U-I disposes of some of its present properties.

### Fur, Fin & Campfire

By JACK BORDS

I LUDY FIRST AID TO MY DOG. MANY A FINE SPORTING DOG SUFFERED PERMANENT INJURY FROM WHAT HIS OWNER CONSIDERED ONLY A MINOR AISHAP.

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WHATEVER YOUR DOG'S AISHAP, TAKE HIM TO A VETERINARIAN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

### Dental Technicians Prepare To Deal Direct With Public

VANCOUVER (CP) — The British Columbia Dental Technicians Society has proposed a flat \$50 fee for a set of dentures for senior citizens, blind and disabled persons.

Society president Dave Matthews said it would go into effect as soon as a bill is passed in the B.C. Legislature permitting dental technicians to deal directly with the public.

He told the technicians' mid-winter conference here the \$50 price was "cost" and would be about \$100 less than the price now charged by dentists. Dentists are the only ones allowed to sell dentures directly to the public in B.C.

**ACT UNENFORCEABLE**  
Arthur Turner, CCF member of the legislature for Vancouver East, said the present dentistry act is "unenforceable."

"You all know the act is violated every day of the week," he said. "A large portion of the public does accept dentists."

recognize them as a corporate body it will be a denial of the facts."

Fred Sharp, Social Credit M.P.A. for the same riding, said he feels the society "has a very strong case" for recognition.

Speaking for 20,000 members of the Elder Citizens League in B.C., George Ingram said the bill proposed by the society is a "humane and necessary law for the benefit of all the people."

A bill which would make it legal to deal directly with the public in fitting and selling dentures, after the client has submitted a certificate of oral health from a doctor or dentist, will be placed before the private bills committee of the Legislature early next year.

The new price would supplement a free repair service to senior citizens, blind and disabled persons which has treated 4,000 persons in the 2½ years it has been operated by the technicians.

### WIDE WORLD

## SHORT STORIES

**JUDGE COMMITS SUICIDE**  
TAIPEI, Formosa (AP) — A Supreme Court judge, Lin Pah, hanged himself Monday night, leaving behind a note saying he wanted to die because of a wrong verdict he gave two years ago. The 60-year-old jurist did not specify which verdict he regretted.

**SHOCK RESTORES MEMORY**  
FRANKFURT, Germany (Reuters) — A 67-year-old married man who went out to buy a pack of cigarettes but fainted in the street and lost his memory has returned home here — after nearly three years. Georg Stephan Wachter said he was found in the street by a policeman and put in a camp as a refugee from East Germany. Several weeks ago while crossing a road he was nearly run over by a car and the shock brought back his memory.

**JUST CAN'T LOSE**  
BUENOS AIRES (Reuters) — Angel Bartucci would have been the dream jockey to back Monday — he rode home the eight winners in all eight races at the Independencia track.

**DOCTORS STRIKE**  
SANTIAGO, Chile (Reuters) — Doctors in most of Santiago's hospitals went on strike Monday over a pay dispute, and many sick patients were evacuated. Only urgent operations and emergency cases were dealt with by skeleton staffs.

**REACTOR IN USE**  
BERLIN (AP) — Communist East Germany's first atomic reactor began operating Monday at a ceremony attended by Prime Minister Otto Grotewohl and other government leaders. The reactor, with an output of 2,000 kilowatts, was supplied by the Soviet Union and was set up near Dresden on the grounds of the East German Central Institute for Nuclear Physics.

**DUKE LEAVES ENGLAND**  
LONDON (Reuters) — The Duke of Kent, 22-year-old soldier cousin of Queen Elizabeth, has been posted with his regiment to West Germany for a two-year tour of service beginning next September. The duke, a lieutenant in the Royal Scots Greys, now is assistant adjutant. Until recently he was helping in the final training of tank crews.

**MOURN SINGER**  
ROME (Reuters) — Hundreds of Romans Monday paid last respects to the body of famed Italian singer Beniamino Gigli in the basilica of St. Mary of the Angels. Heaps of flowers and wreaths lay around the coffin where the beloved tenor lay. The body was taken today for burial to his home town of Recanati, near the Adriatic coast. Gigli died in Rome on Nov. 30 of bronchial pneumonia. He was 67.

**JORDAN ARRESTS REDS**  
AMMAN, Jordan (Reuters) — Security forces have arrested two Communists and seized arms, ammunition and explosives. The Jordan government said Monday. Police searched a house in Amman where the men were arrested and found nine pistols, ammunition, 58 slabs of dynamite, 16 grenades and gunpowder.

**PRODS RESCUERS**  
DENVER (AP) — Directing his sweating rescuers to "hurry up — are you waiting for Christmas," a five-year-old Denver boy Monday was saved from a shallow abandoned well where he had been trapped nearly three hours. David Leonard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Leonard, tumbled into the well first while playing in a neighbor's yard. He was taken to hospital, where attendants said he suffered shock and exposure.

**VILLAGES ISOLATED**  
NICE, France (Reuters) — Bad

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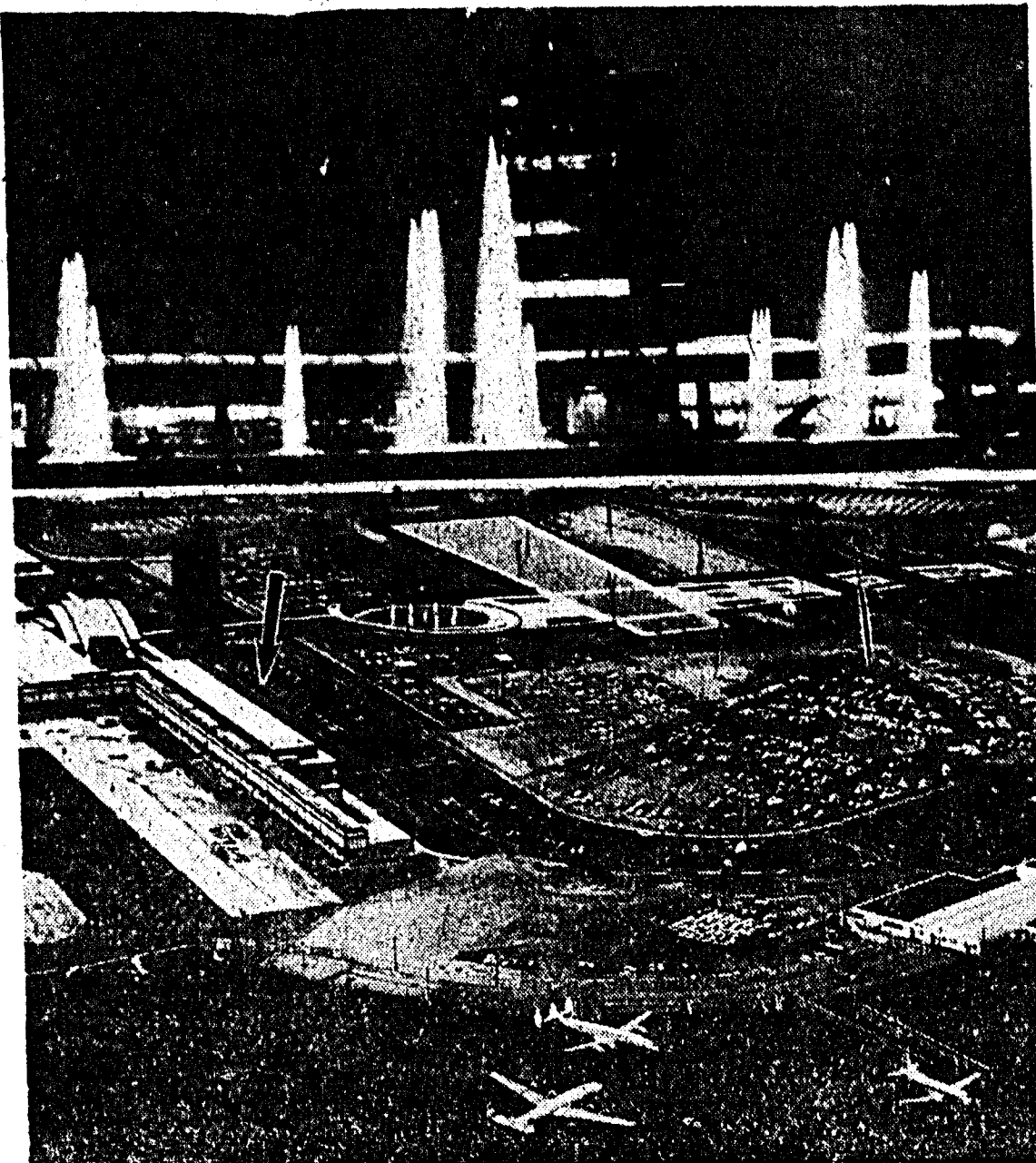
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## NEW YORK'S SUPER-AIRPORT NOW IN OPERATION

Latest of New York's wonders is the reconstructed international Airport at Idlewild, N.Y., where, top, is shown the new arrival building in front of which fountains spout spectacularly in a 220-acre park. The \$30,000,000 structure is 11 blocks long, three stories high, 640 feet deep. At bottom is an aerial view of the "new" project. The building at bottom,

left, is the 11-story control tower, high spot of the super-airport. The arrow points to the arrival building, which has a visitors' promenade nearly a mile long.

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## CLOSE REFUGEE CAMP

TINIS. Aegean Islands (Reuters)—A United Nations refugee camp on this Greek island famed for its shrine of the Holy Virgin closed Sunday. Its 115 refugees have been resettled with the help of Nobel Peace Prize money. It was decided to use the money from the prize, won in 1955 by the office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees in recognition of its services, to close Tinos camp. The refugees, mostly of Greek origin, came from Romania.

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## BIT OF ENGLAND

### B.C. Village Pays Rent To Rancher

By ERWIN FRICKE  
Canadian Press Staff Writer

100 MILE HOUSE, B.C. (CP) This old stopping-place on the Cariboo Trail is expanding with the zip of a stagecoach driver's long whip.

Lord Martin Cecil's timothy meadow, where white-faced Hereford cattle grazed three years ago, has been transformed into a hustling community with 40 business places.

The entire village pays land rental to the titled rancher, a younger son of the fifth Marquess of Exeter. But there the comparison with an English baronial manor ends.

### ONCE PITCHED HAY

Lord Cecil, 48, blonde and slight, is a former president of the Cariboo Cattleman's Association and his ranch foreman says "he used to pitch hay with the best of us."

Nowadays he spends a good deal of his time in Loveland, Colo., the headquarters of a religious group, emissaries of the Divine Light, of which he is bishop.

Much of the administration of his estate is handled by his Eton-school son, Michael, 21.

Loggers, truckers and cowboys jostle nightly for accommodation in the \$250,000 hotel, the motel or Lord Cecil's rustic lodge with a clamor reminiscent of a century ago. But today all the traffic isn't just passing through.

The Cariboo district, roughly the 300-mile-long portion of the Fraser Valley from Lillooet north to Quesnel in interior British Columbia, has in recent years found new riches in spruce, fir and lodgepole pine.

For nearly 100 years the domain of rancher and miner, the rolling Cariboo now is sharing its wealth with the logger and sawmill operator. The diversification is resulting in vast expansion.

### BIG INCREASE

In the last 10 years the number of sawmills has increased to 788 from 321 and the cut to 1,400,549,740 board feet from 201,613,808.

Many small ranchers have given up cattle for lumber. Lord Cecil still runs 800 Herefords and 60 horses on his 10,000-acre ranch here, although the hard-topped Cariboo highway separates ranch bunkhouses from the big peeled-log barns and a spreading com-

munity snips away at his grazing acreage.

100 Mile House got its name and its start in 1883 by its location 100 miles from Lillooet, the southern end of the pack trail used by Cariboo gold rush miners. This was the original Cariboo Trail.

It was still a stopping-place on the route when the 400-mile Cariboo wagon road was built between 1883-85 from Yale to Barkerville. This \$1,250,000 road was a triumph of early engineering over Fraser Canyon hazards and today's Cariboo highway still follows much the same route.

More than \$40,000,000 in gold dust, hard-won from Cariboo gravel creeks, was lugged "out" past 100 Mile.

Pack trains of horses, mules and even camels stopped here. So did heavy freighter wagons drawn by 10 or 12 yoke of oxen. A six-horse coned stagecoach made runs until 1917.

With the decline of gold mining, ranching became the Cariboo's major industry.

In 1912, the Marquess of Exeter bought 100 Mile ranch. It was at a time when the Duke of Sutherland and other titled Britons took large acreages in the Cariboo intending to settle them with British immigrants.

In 1930 Lord Cecil came here to manage the ranch and he became owner in 1956 on the death of his father, Lord Burrell, the Olympic hurdler and now sixth Marquess of Exeter, is Lord Cecil's elder brother.

## Auto Workers Seek Larger Excise Slash

TORONTO (CP) — Three demands to curb unemployment—abolition of excise taxes on Canadian-made cars, a \$100 cut in the price of cars and the use of \$100,000,000 of the unemployment insurance fund — have been made by the Canadian Council of the United Auto Workers.

George Burt, council president, told the quarterly session the government's reduction of the excise tax to 7 1/2 per cent would amount to about \$45 off on medium priced cars. This, he said, would not be sufficient to raise public demand.

Commenting on the reiterated plea for a flat price cut of \$100 on all cars, he said: "Canadian farmers and workers by the thousands have been priced out of the market and it will take a new approach to bring them back. I think the \$100 cut will do it."

## ROOM AND BOARD

BY GENE AHERN



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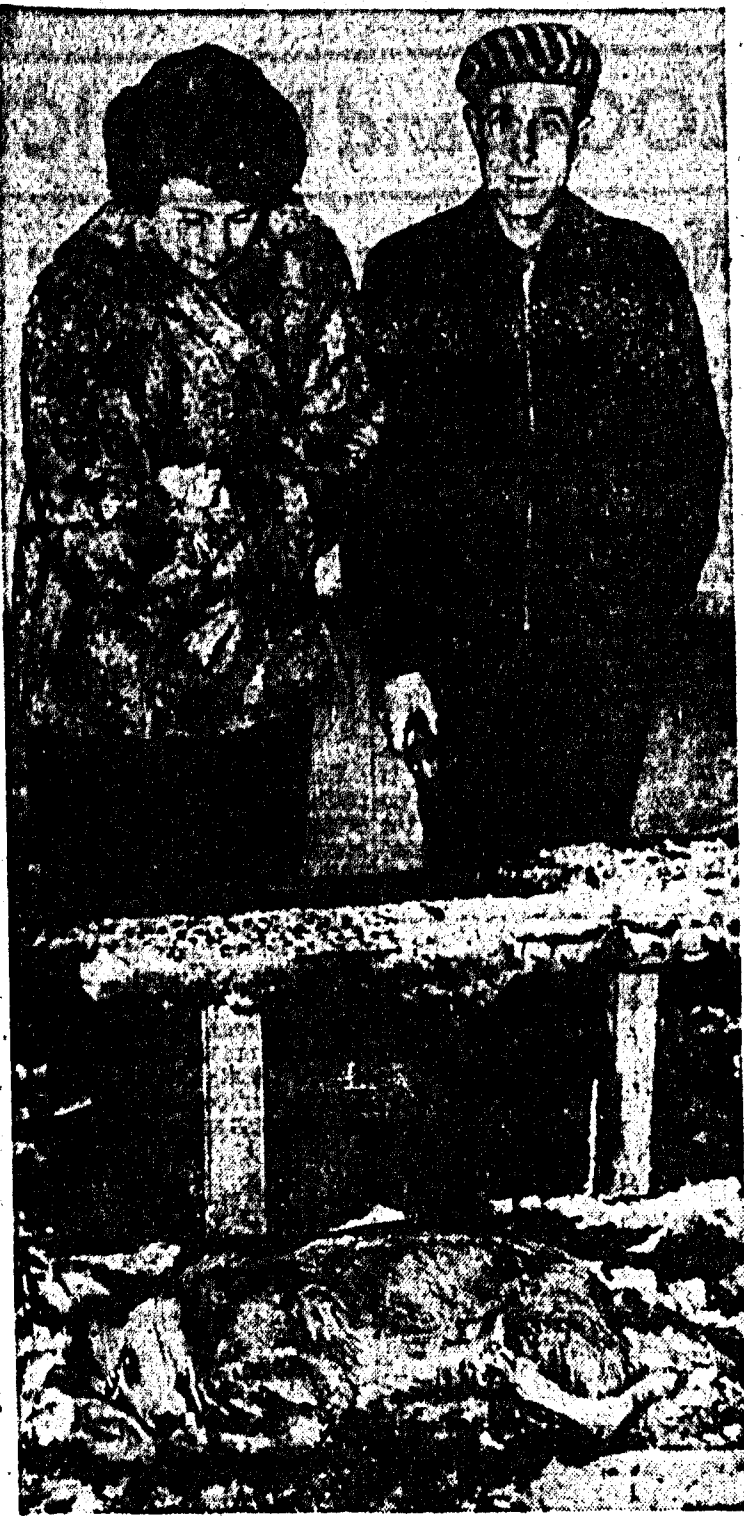
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WOLF CAME TOO CLOSE TO CITY

Mrs. Patricia Shaw is glad to see this brush wolf no longer capable of biting and snarling. Walking from her house to her garage, a few miles from Toronto, the wolf ran at her and appeared ready to bite. Her husband, Phil, disposed of Bre'er Wolf with two shots.

## Scant Support For Fraser Hydro Plan

VANCOUVER (CP) — There was scant support on the West Coast for a proposal from Ottawa Thursday that the salmon industry of the mighty Fraser River be sacrificed to hydro power. Opposition came from almost every quarter.

Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, Canadian section chairman of the International Joint Commission, rubbed open a long-standing sore when he told the Commons external affairs committee that salmon interests in British Columbia should take a "look at the real interests of British Columbia and Canada."

He proposed diverting the Kootenay River into the Columbia and Columbia into the Fraser through a tunnel under the Monashee Mountains. Supporters of the Fraser River's \$50,000,000 salmon fishery industry have long contended that such schemes would mean the end of the Fraser fishery.

Two support ideas. Opposition to Gen. McNaughton's proposal found verbal outlet in such words as "short-sighted," "nonsense" and "ridiculous."

There was immediate support from only two sources. Professor Harry V. Warren of the University of B.C., a supporter of Fraser River development, said: "Bully for Gen. McNaughton for having the courage to say what I feel should have been said a long time ago."

H. L. Briggs, general manager of the B.C. Power Commission, said the commission had often put forward many of the points suggested by the general. Large commission hydro projects were being held up while their effect on fisheries was studied.

"The output of these plants is urgently required," Mr. Briggs said. "They will take time to build and time is fast running out."

Sen. Tom Reid of British Columbia, chairman of the International Pacific Salmon Fisheries Commission and a voluble defender of fisheries in the fish-versus-power dispute, said Gen. McNaughton "has a closed mind when it comes to fish."

Both Sen. Reid and Homer Stevens, secretary-treasurer of the United Fishermen and Allied Workers Union, took exception to the general's claim that power development of the Fraser is worth 100 times as much to B.C. and to Canada as the fishery.

"If our salmon industry can be restored, it will be worth \$75,000,000 annually," said Sen. Reid. Mr. Stevens said Gen. McNaughton's figures are "a little hard to swallow."

Along the same lines, B.C.'s Lands and Forests Minister, Ray Williston, said: "If considered from only a monetary standpoint, he could probably prove his point... but there are other factors involved. Food is one of them."

Salmon fishing is the backbone of an industry that employs about 5,000 B.C. fishermen and thousands of workers in allied industries. The mighty Fraser, spawning ground for millions of salmon is the heart of the B.C. salmon fishery.

The British Columbia Progressive Conservative leader, Deane Finlayson, said present information on the diversion "indicates a real possibility it would have a harmful effect on the salmon population."

And Canada could not move unilaterally on the question since "we have got to respect the United States interest in this matter."

UPSET U.S. PLANS. Diversion of the Kootenay and Columbia Rivers would affect plans the U.S. has for these rivers as they flow from B.C. into Montana, Washington and Oregon.

On Gen. McNaughton's contention that power development of the three rivers through diversion would mean cheap power for southwestern B.C. for three decades, the fishermen's union spokesmen disagreed.

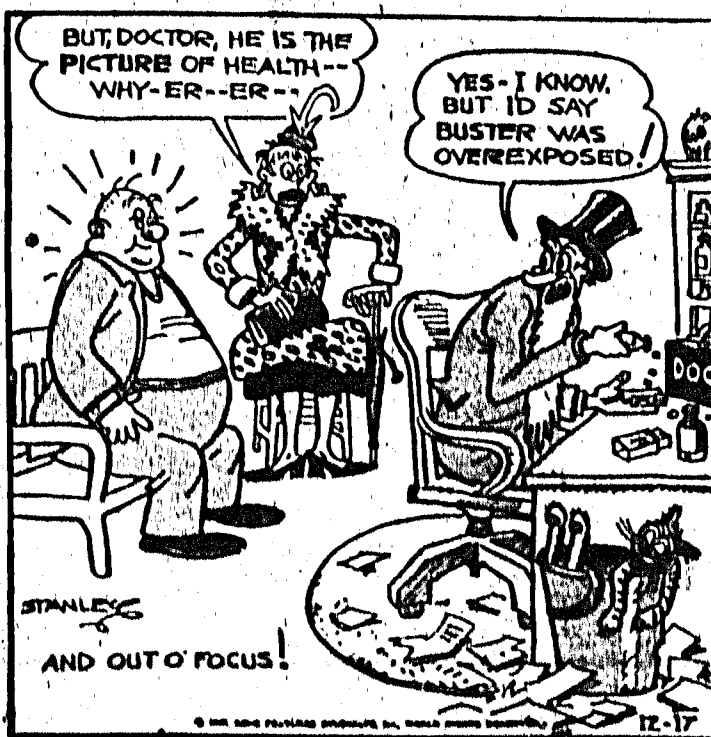
Commented Mr. Stevens: "It sounds to me as if he is taking an awfully short-sighted look at the situation, by planning ahead for only 30 years in terms of cheap power. The Fraser River fishery now is producing \$50,000,000 a year worth of salmon and is able to produce that much into infinity so long as this resource is looked after properly."

"No one can say what the power situation will be in 10 or 15 years. Recent developments in power supply have shown that hydro-electric power could be made absolutely obsolete in that time."

Both Mr. Stevens and Sen. Reid accused the general of intruding in a provincial affair.

Production of tobacco in Pakistan has risen from 60,000 tons in 1947 to 130,000 tons in 1956.

## THE OLD HOME TOWN - Stanley



## CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. JAY BECKER  
(Top Record-Holder in Masters' Individual Championships Play)

South dealer  
North-South vulnerable

**NORTH**  
♠ A 10 5  
♥ A 6 4  
♦ A Q 9 7 4 3  
♣ Q 6 3 2

**EAST**  
♠ K 8 7 4  
♥ Q 10 7 4 3 2  
♦ K J 10  
♣ 10

**WEST**  
♠ Q 6 3 2  
♥ J 7 5 3  
♦ K 9 8  
♣ 8 5

**SOUTH**  
♠ 10  
♥ K Q 10 8 5 2  
♦ A J 8 5  
♣ 6 2

The bidding:  
South West North East  
1 ♠ Pass 3 ♠ Pass  
2 ♠ Pass 3 ♠ Pass  
4 ♠

Opening lead—eight of clubs. Bridge cannot be played by rote. The unusual situation must be met by unusual action. All the general principles of bidding and play that have been formulated over the years to guide the student of the game have their exceptions.

In bridge language there is no such thing as never; there is no such word as always. A general

rule is to be followed in most hands, but where a situation arises which indicates that following the general rule will prove injurious, the player is expected to abandon the usual principle and strike out on his own.

A club was led and South, convinced West did not have the king, decided to play for a cross-ruff. He went up with the ace of clubs, cashed the spade ace, and ruffed a spade.

After leading the ace of diamonds, declarer ruffed a diamond, then a spade, next a diamond, and finally another spade. At this point the situation was:

The jack of diamonds was led and trumped in dummy. West discarded his club. The club return was taken by East's jack, but West had to trump the trick. West was forced to lead a heart to declarer's K-Q-10, and the slam was made on the peculiar end-play.

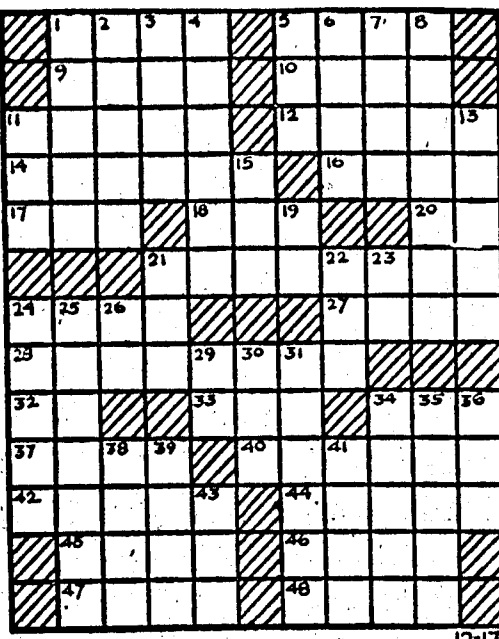
West should have defeated the contract. Instead of conserving his trumps, the usual policy followed by the defender, he should have ruffed the jack of diamonds even though his partner had the high diamond and dummy was about to ruff.

By reducing his trump length, West would have given his side both a club trick and a trump trick.

## DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS  
1. Little children  
5. Subsidies  
9. A street brawl  
10. Shed feathers  
11. Stop watch  
12. Eat noisily (dial.)  
14. Early Spain  
16. Maple or elm  
17. Guided  
18. Peninsula (Asia)  
20. River (Latv.)  
21. Pine trees  
24. Melody  
27. Relieve  
28. Film of cobwebs  
32. King of Bashan  
33. A spell  
34. Resort  
37. Lumps  
40. New York City  
42. Give in  
44. Linger  
45. Portico (Gr.)  
46. Frozen desserts  
47. Bird of prey  
48. Give over

DOWN  
1. A social group  
2. Pointed  
3. An agent  
4. Hired  
5. Prussian town  
6. Roll of cloth  
7. Make indistinct  
8. Mineral veins  
11. Sesame  
13. Fortify  
19. Mr. Jolson  
21. Owns  
22. Over (poet.)  
23. Calcium (sym.)  
24. Anguish  
25. Knavish  
26. Part of "to be"



Yesterday's Answer

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it:

AXYDLBAAXR is LONGFELLOW

One letter simply stands for another. In this sample, A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

A Cryptogram Quotation

V UATA UVLJAKK, EW DHXA DHBA V FTAESN VJL LHA THSN-PGTEWJ

Yesterday's Cryptogram: CALUMNIES ARE ANSWERED BEST WITH SILENCE—Johnson.

## YOUR HOROSCOPE

### The Stars Say

FOR TOMORROW  
YESTERDAY'S stimulating aspects continue. Most persons should be in highly optimistic mood and the frame of mind that leads to accomplishment. Conferences, discussions, round table meetings designed to hasten progress in any matter whatsoever should prove extraordinarily successful.

FOR THE BIRTHDAY  
If tomorrow is your birthday, your horoscope indicates that your affairs should be in pretty stable condition right now; but, if not, they should be by the end of the month. Your mood should be one of optimism concerning the year ahead. This is the time to make long-range plans, to set new goals of achievement for yourself and to plan how you're going to work toward them. Let no grass grow under your feet for rewards are indicated for effort.

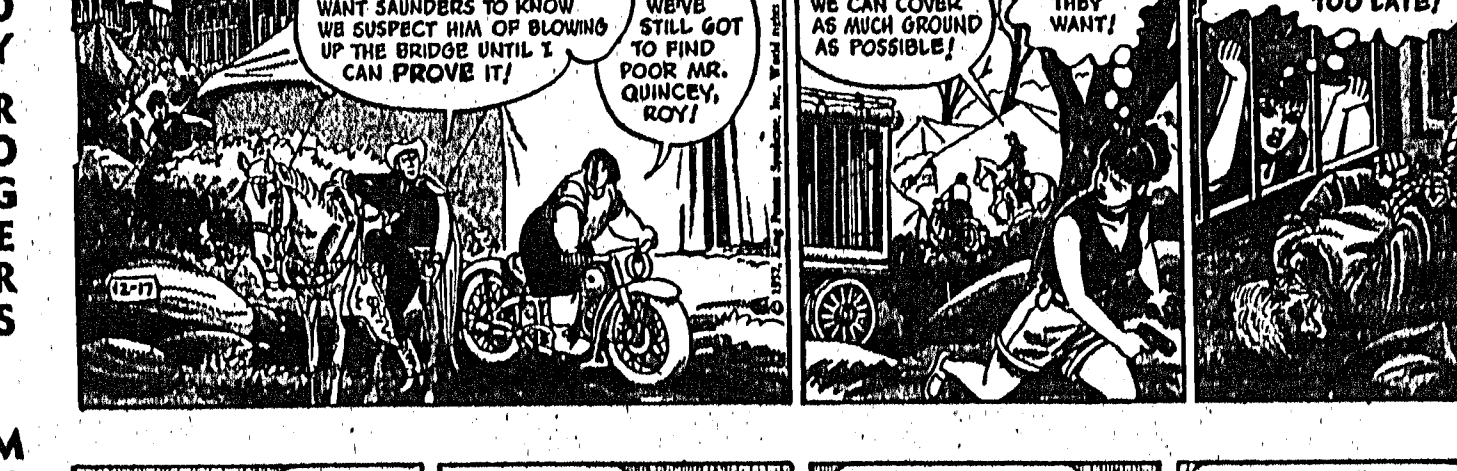
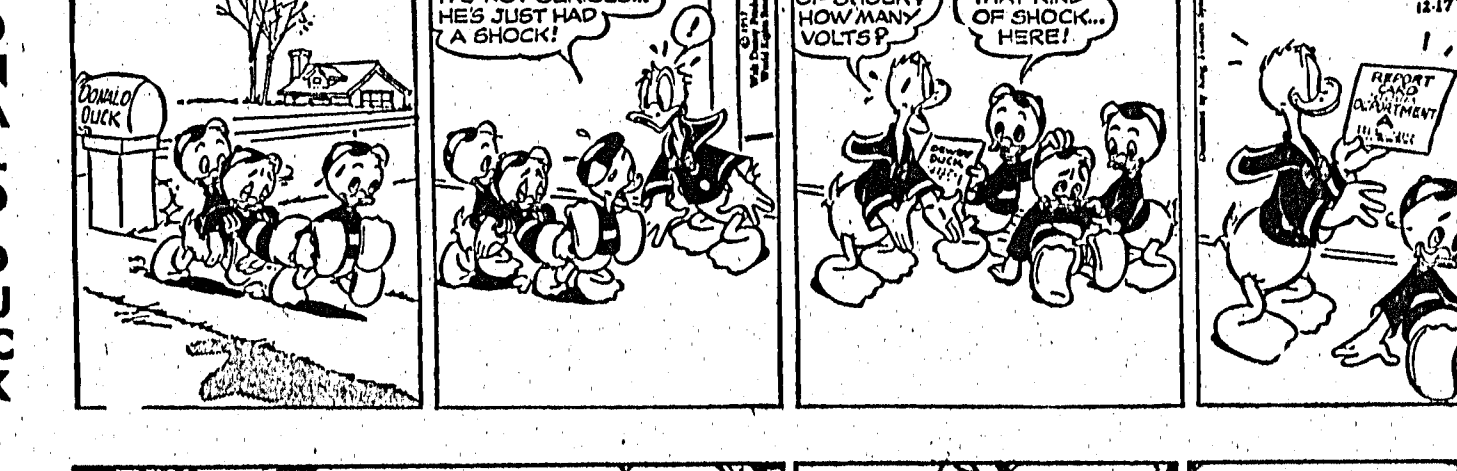
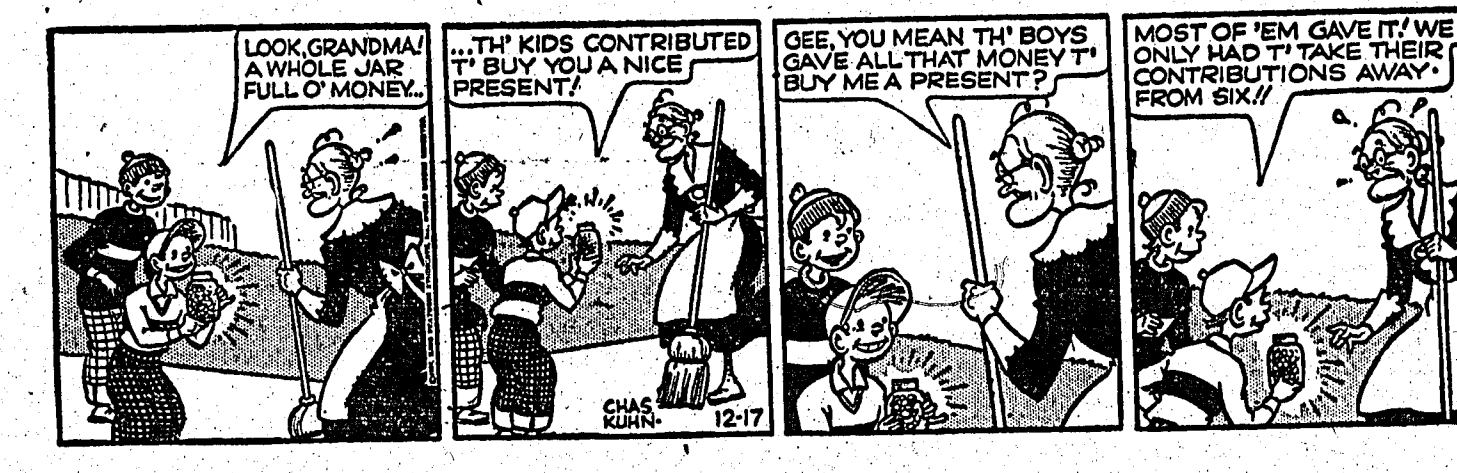
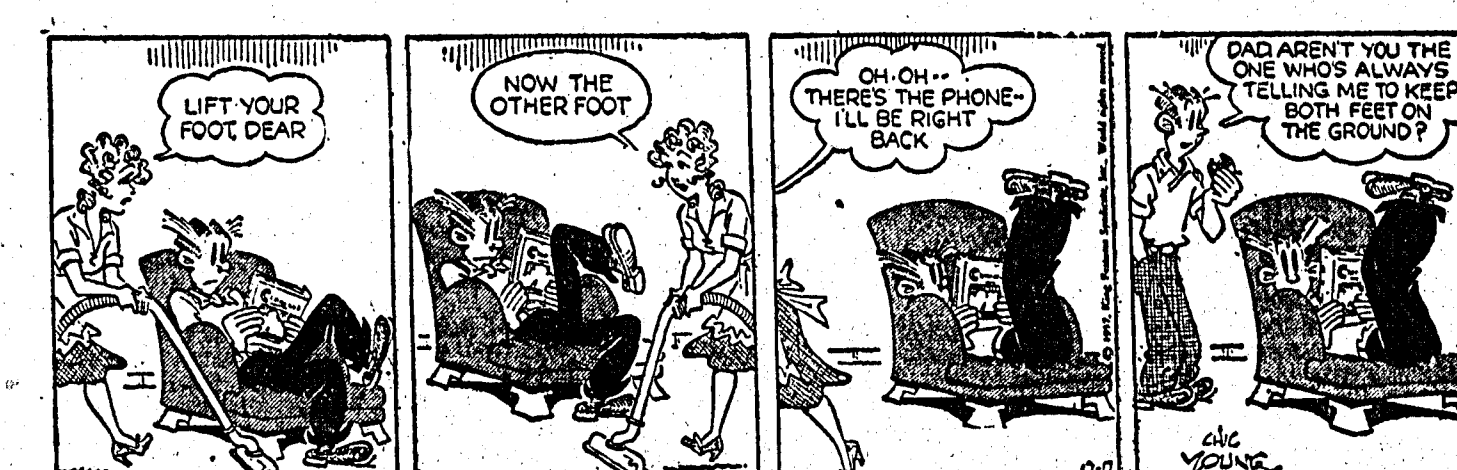
Personal matters will also be governed by fine aspects—especially during the last six months of the year—with romance and travel highlighted between June and September; social activities from October through December. Avoid nervous tension in February and April; extravagance in March and November. Look for some interesting news of a romantic nature in June. A child born on this day will be one of optimism concerning systematic, efficient and very conscientious.

## Ripley's: BELIEVE IT OR NOT

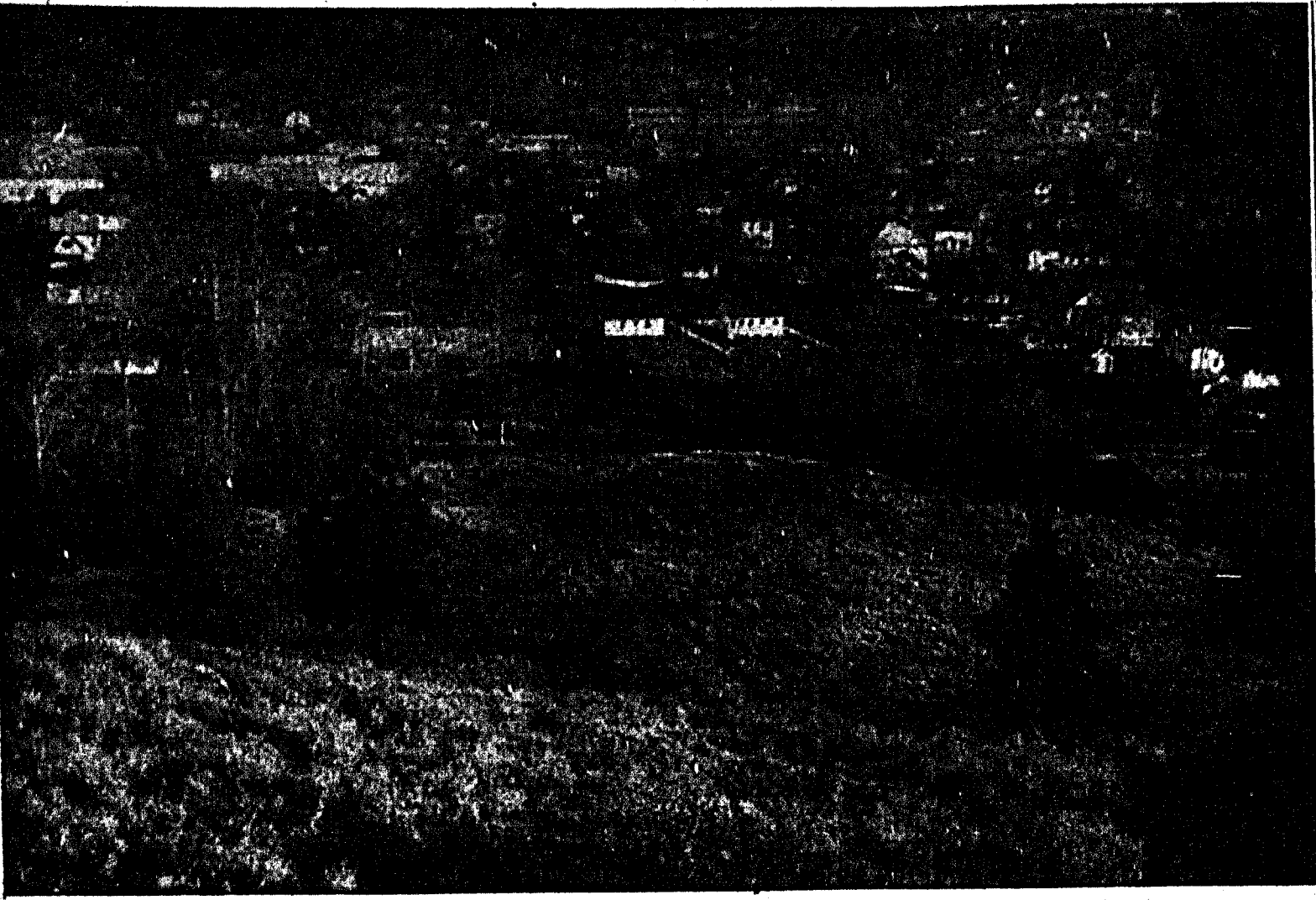


CORPSES THAT PAID FOR THEIR OWN FUNERALS!  
FOR 600 YEARS THE CEMETERY OF ST. MARTIN'S WAS A FRUITFUL BUREAU. GRAVES WOULD BE CAST INTO THE RIVER SO THEY WOULD FLOAT TO THE CEMETERY AND BE BURIED. WITH SALVAGE IN THEIR MOUTHS, THE FISHES WOULD RESCUE THE BODIES AND CONVEY THEM TO THE CEMETERY FOR BURIAL.

JULIET JONES  
BUNZ SAWYER  
BRICK BRADFORD  
BLONDIE  
GRANDMA  
MICKEY MOUSE  
DONALD DUCK  
ROY ROGERS  
MUGGS and SKEETER







BIRD'S-EYE VIEW OF SKI HILL

Above picture is a bird's eye view of Vernon's proposed ski hill which would be flood-lighted at night. The city owns the property. Only person who may be inconvenienced is the Don Harris household, occupants of a house behind a grove (centre left). (Courier staff photo)

## Vernon's New Reservoir No. 3 Near Completion

(Courier's Vernon Bureau)  
VERNON: Good and bad news came from the city engineer's office this week.  
Reservoir No. 3 is expected to be completely excavated by the end of the week. Grading and levelling will be finished the following week.  
With all the water supply having been drawn from Kalamalka lake lately, engineering officials were relieved to again have water in No. 1 reservoir. At present there is 19 feet but the level is rising 4 inches every day.  
Bad news was embodied in the announcement of the layoff of 29 city workers. Only sufficient staff to see the winter through, remain with the department.

## Women Curlers Again Sponsor New Year's Ball

At the general meeting of the Peachland Ladies Curling Club held Wednesday evening, it was decided to sponsor again the New Year's Eve dance to be held in the Athletic Hall. Those on the committee set up to arrange this annual affair include as convener, assisted by Mrs. M. Ferguson, Mrs. M. A. Valentine, Mrs. Leonard Trautman, Mrs. S. Dell, Mrs. Fred Topham Jr. and Myrna-Jean Smith.  
Three rinks are to play off immediately after Jan. 1 to pick a winner for the playoffs, being held in Penticton January 11 and 12.

The annual bonspiel dates were set for February 14, 15 and 16, with Mrs. George Topham named as bonspiel convener.  
For the post-Christmas draw, six rinks were selected and rinks chosen with league curling to begin right after Jan. 1. Skips named were Mrs. Verne Cousins, Mrs. C. O. Whinton, Mrs. Fred Topham Jr., Mrs. M. Ferguson, Mrs. Jack Garraway, and Mrs. George Topham.  
A sum of money was voted to the Peachland Curling Club for paint and improvements on the interior of the rink. Mrs. Jack Garraway and Mrs. George Topham were named to act on this committee.  
A bake sale will be held January 17 the place to be announced later.  
Mrs. George Topham is again convener for Zone 5 and will be attending the annual meeting of the B.C.L.C.A. to be held in Cranbrook early in the new year.

**Oil Company Respects Wishes Of City Council**  
City Council's wishes regarding placing of the outlet onto Pendozi Street from the proposed Standard Oil service station at the southwest corner of Pendozi and Harvey have been respected, Ald. A. J. Trendgold advised council Monday night.  
Standard wanted the outlet to begin three feet south of the property line. The city's stand was that the outlet should begin 30 feet south of the property line. Agreement was reached last week in a meeting with the oil company officials.  
Still another matter to be settled is the actual placing of the building which will house offices, store rooms and car service facilities. Ald. Trendgold and R. D. Knox are to confer further with Standard representatives on this matter.

## City Approves Trade Licence

Application of Barton D. Pope, Glenora Auto Court, for a trade licence as a piano tuner was approved by city council Monday night.  
Council also granted conditional approval to an application from Andrew Kuttyk, 681 Patter-

## VERNON REPORT

### Police Court's Coffers Swells After Weekend

(Courier's Vernon Bureau)  
VERNON — Driving with his windows obscured by frost led Fred Shatula of Vernon into a large mess of trouble at the weekend.  
He told the court that the lawn upon which he subsequently ended, looked just like an asphalt surface because of the frost on the grass.  
Shatula had first turned into the lawn thinking it was a service station.  
Prior to arrival of RCMP, accused apparently had another problem to face. Referring to the owner of the lawn, Shatula told the court: "A man came out looking to fight."  
Magistrate Smith told the accused that the reason he was on the lawn was beside the point, and since he had been driving with his windows obscured, he would be fined \$25 and costs.

**JUNGLE MAN**  
Local jungle man is finding both the climate and the authorities most inhospitable.  
John Makowski was arrested Sunday in the "jungle" of Polson Park on a vagrancy charge. He had been checked in the jungle three weeks previously and asked to leave, which he did at that time.  
When found this weekend, Makowski was sleeping on a bed of boards, seemingly impervious to the frigid temperatures.  
Accused told RCMP at the time of his arrest, that he had

no money, but subsequent search revealed \$9 on his person.  
Asked if he wanted to give evidence regarding the charge accused muttered, "I wish to get out from here, that's all."  
He was remanded until Tuesday to consider how he will defend his "not guilty" plea.  
**PENTICTON MAN**  
Richard J. W. Hardisty, of Penticton was remanded until Dec. 23 on a worthless cheque charge.  
Hardisty pleaded not guilty to passing a valueless cheque at the Allison Hotel in Vernon. Four additional cheque charges are pending against the accused.  
Bail was granted at \$1,000, in order that Hardisty might appear in Vancouver on December 19 to face a court charge there.  
Also remanded on \$500 bail, until December 18 was Hugh Campbell, local resident. He faces an "obtaining goods by false pretences" charge. Accused is alleged to have acquired a television tube and other parts from a local TV dealer.  
**EXPENSIVE OMMISSION**  
It is an expensive omission to not renew your drivers licence.  
Ray Sagasky of Vernon had this point brought home to the extent of \$25 which was the fine imposed for the offence that occurred on Dec. 10.  
Accused explained he interpreted the licence as expiring December 1, 1958. Actual expiry date was Dec. 1, 1957.

## Kelowna CCF Celebrates 25th Birthday

The 25th anniversary of the founding of the CCF was celebrated by Kelowna CCF Club Saturday night at the Women's Institute Hall.  
Chairman Arthur Hughes-Games introduced O. L. Jones, who gave a resume of the 25 years he had worked in the movement. During that time, he said, the party had evolved from a small "ginger group" protesting the inequities of periodic capitalist depressions and wars to a full fledged political force.  
Many steps have been taken in Canada towards social security, a project of CCF M.L.A.s and M.P.s since the party was founded, Mr. Jones pointed out. Old age pensions, health insurance and family allowances have been urged. But, he said these were measures which only gave relief from the insecurity and instability of the present economic system. The CCF, he continued, seeks to build a more equitable system of production and distribution so that Canada's wealth may be used by those who actually produce it.  
During the social hour following Mr. Jones' address, the gathering enjoyed songs by Ernest Burnett, accompanied by Mrs. G. D. Herbert.  
Ola Anderson showed films taken during a recent trip to Europe. He had visited England, Sweden, Norway and the Russian Ukraine. In the latter country he was allowed to take pictures wherever he wished.  
Architecture being one of his chief interests, he was surprised to find that the Russians were preserving, and had renovated many famous medieval churches. A birthday cake was cut by Mrs. E. Snowsall of Glenora, a CCF charter member. She was introduced by Mr. Jones who paid tribute to her unfailing devotion to the Socialist cause.  
During the war, Mrs. Snowsall ran for the legislature under the CCF banner.

There's a Christmas Island in Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, and it has a post office.  
son, to rent three rooms. Certain changes have yet to be made to one of the rooms to meet the full requirements of the building inspector and the medical health officer.

## St. Joseph's Concert Acclaimed

Two capacity audiences Sunday acclaimed the success of the annual Christmas Concert of the pupils of St. Joseph's Parochial School.  
Choosing something different this year, the pupils from Kindergarten up to Grade VIII accented themselves well in presenting an operetta, entitled "She Didn't Believe," at St. Joseph's Hall.  
Coached and directed by the Sisters of Charity of Halifax, the pupils sang, pranced, danced and spirited their way through one of the shortest—and most entertaining—presentations in years.  
Ten-year-old Mary Schneider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Schneider, 1879 Ethel St., and a Grade VI student, was brilliant in the leading role. Supporting her were well over 200 students, as virtually every pupil attending the school had a part in the concert.  
**DOROTHY CONVERTED**  
The story centred around Mary, who as a girl Dorothy, boasted she didn't believe in "this Christmas nonsense."  
But as the story progressed with the appearances of elves—who proclaimed themselves to be Christmas spirits—dolls, wind-up toys, toy trains, Christmas flowers and wrappings and decorations, shopping housewives and merchants, Dorothy gradually weakened and before the Angel of Christmas professed her belief.  
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Two capacity audiences Sunday acclaimed the success of the annual Christmas Concert of the pupils of St. Joseph's Parochial School.  
Choosing something different this year, the pupils from Kindergarten up to Grade VIII accented themselves well in presenting an operetta, entitled "She Didn't Believe," at St. Joseph's Hall.  
Coached and directed by the Sisters of Charity of Halifax, the pupils sang, pranced, danced and spirited their way through one of the shortest—and most entertaining—presentations in years.  
Ten-year-old Mary Schneider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Schneider, 1879 Ethel St., and a Grade VI student, was brilliant in the leading role. Supporting her were well over 200 students, as virtually every pupil attending the school had a part in the concert.  
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## BENNETT CHRISTMAS NOTE STRESSES FAITH IN FUTURE

Premier W. A. C. Bennett has issued the following Christmas message:  
In these days of spectacular progress in new fields of human endeavor, it is important that we, the members of the British Columbia family, should grasp every opportunity to re-affirm our faith in the Christian values which are the foundation of our society.  
The Christmas season, with its deep religious significance and its emphasis on the unity of the family, is the time to remember our spiritual heritage, to realize the strength it has given us in the past hundred years of our great history as a Province, and to resolve that, as we go forward together into another century of progress and achievement, we will carry with us the banners of high purpose, mutual co-operation and good will to all men.  
As Premier of your Province, I give you my sincere wish for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

## TODAY'S STOCK QUOTATIONS

Supplied by	James, Copithorne and Birch Ltd.	366 Bernard Ave.	(as at 12 noon)
Today's Eastern Prices			
AVERAGES			
New York (Dow Jones)	4th Hr.	Change	
30 Industrials	430.29	-3.11	
20 Rails	96.76	-1.12	
15 Utilities	67.70	- .47	
Toronto			
20 Industrials	398.60	-3.30	
20 Rails	67.23	- .42	
10 Base Metals	145.91	- .57	
15 Oils	126.87	-1.34	

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Dominion of Canada			
5th Victory Loan	3% due 1959	99.10	99.25
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## LOCAL and DISTRICT

### New Customs Collector Is Appointed In City

Duncan M. Ferguson is the new appointment as customs collector here.  
He succeeds Alwyn Weddell, who retired last July 1 after serving in that capacity here for 14 years.  
More than a score of men applied for the post, and several replacement collectors filled in here while the department sifted through the applications.  
Mr. Ferguson, formerly collector at Trail for seven years, taken up with the city and people in his first visit to the Central Okanagan. His wife also is impressed with the Orchard City.  
The customs office is on the second floor of the post office building.  
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### Manslaughter Case Before Fall Assizes

(Courier's Vernon Bureau)  
VERNON — Manslaughter trial of Leonard Enoch Nyman went into its second day today, before Mr. Justice H. W. McInnis. The Nyman case will conclude the Fall Assizes' lengthy docket.  
Opening was devoted to choosing the jury, and a quantity of indirect evidence.  
Nyman is alleged to have caused the death of Edward Richter, April 28, near Similkameen by an assault.  
For the first time, in the assize session, two lawyers are conducting the defense. Associates for the defense are H. A. Callaghan, and A. D. C. Washington. Prosecuting team through-out the assizes has been D. S. McTavish, and J. S. Aikins.

### Mouth Of Creek To Be Dredged

Concern over a flood potential brought about by the causeway of the new bridge on the Kelowna side was expressed by city council Monday night.  
Ald. A. J. Trendgold informed the council that the causeway has been the indirect cause of a build-up of a sand bar at the mouth of Mill Creek, so much so that the creek at the present time is flowing south at the mouth, instead of west.  
Council concurred that dredging on bulldozing will have to be done to clear the channel before high water time next spring.  
A letter will be written to the provincial government pointing out this condition and asking for the necessary measures.

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